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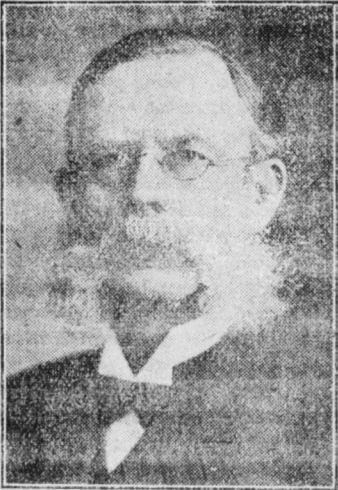
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Congressional Compliments.



Though the contest for Congressional honors in this District, composed of Centre, Clearfield, Cameron and McKean counties, is yet nearly a year distant, says the Bellefonte Keystone Gazette, the subject in some parts has already become a matter of vital consideration; and the agitation seems to have centered in Clearfield county—in fact has practically narrowed down to the town of DuBois—where we understand three candidates reside who are trimming their sails for the contest, and who expect to enter the fight to win the nomination.

In our opinion the office of Congressman has been much misunderstood in this district. It has been treated as a compliment to the candidates, and is distributed according to the claims of the different localities represented in the district, with the result that a change is made every four years, and every time, after an incumbent was thoroughly initiated in the workings of the body and rendered capable of performing the functions of the office and be of service to the people, he was retired by force of custom to make room for another, who by virtue of his location or ability, was set in his place to begin anew to learn the routine of the office, again to be retired by custom just about the time when his fitness for the office was made manifest by what he was able to accomplish.

In our mind this is a great mistake. In other districts where members in Congress have been allowed to succeed themselves, the people enjoy the influence of their representative in the Lower House by virtue of their accumulated strength, and as a result, they get what they want. They recognize the fact that corporations and business firms who enjoy able management would be loath to change heads every four years. In fact it would be suicidal. And the same is true in this case. They cry against the third term in Congress, where new members are practically helpless until they have time to prove their practicability and develop their strength, is a fallacy.

In this connection the Gazette would ask for a consideration of the candidacy of Captain Charles F. Barclay, of Cameron county, to succeed himself, who as every one must admit, has developed unexpected and unusual strength during his incumbency in the office. We are free to declare and challenge contradiction in the statement that he has done more for his constituents than any other man who has ever represented Centre county, irrespective of the counties which composed the district heretofore. He is not a wind-jammer—one who delights to hear himself talk to the disgust of his colleagues and the weakening of his own influence, but a quiet, earnest, active, indefatigable worker,—one who recognizes the full responsibility of his office and who is incorruptible in its performance.

The fact is becoming recognized more and more every day that the office of Congressman is a losing investment when considered in a financial sense, and that it is not the place for an honest man who has not a competency ahead sufficient to make up the losses sustained without experiencing embarrassment. And there is not a man in the district who is so agreeably gifted with all the elements that make a good representative as is Captain Barclay. His tremendous business energy, backed up by good horse sense, and which coupled with his long experience with the working man as an employer of labor, has given him an inside knowledge of their wants which few men possess, while his acquaintance in early life with the "plain and simple annals of the poor" makes him appreciate the rights of all, and no eminence to which he may attain will render him imper-

ious or disrespectful of those in the humble walks of life.

We write without suggestion or consent of Captain Barclay. We do not know whether he would accept a nomination if it were tendered him. Nor is there anything personal in it, as he has never done anything for us nor have we asked him to do anything for us in the future; but we are interested in good representation in Congress—probably more so than in any other office outside of President of the United States—which, without proper support from the two Houses, would necessarily be rendered but a figure-head.

Hence we suggest that the time has about come when our people should get on to the fact congressional compliments are expensive gifts, and that it is not good business or political sense to exchange the old and tried for the new and untried—just to gratify ambition at the expense of the public.

Lechner-Mulcahy.

On Monday morning at six o'clock, during Mass at St. Mark's Catholic church, occurred the marriage of Miss Laura, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lechner and Mr. John H. Mulcahy. Miss Carolyn Lechner, a sister of the bride, acted as bride's maid, while Mr. Leo Hayes did the duties of best man. Rev. Father Thos. B. Downey performed the ceremony. Mrs. Mulcahy is one of Emporium's most popular young ladies and has a large circle of friends and is sure to make a true helpmate to the husband of her choice. Mr. Mulcahy enjoys the respect and esteem of all who know him, and is one of our promising young business men. The bride was attired in a gray traveling suit and was attended by Carolyn Lechner, her sister, who was dressed in old rose silk.

After the ceremony the guests repaired to the home of the bride where a delicious wedding breakfast was served by Mrs. Emma Robinson to immediate relatives and intimate friends. The dining room was decorated with sweet peas and ferns.

The happy couple departed on the eight o'clock train for a short wedding trip—destination unknown.

The guests from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Lechner, and Miss Marion Lechner, Erie, Pa.; Miss Pearl Kelve, Weedville, Pa.; Miss Mame Ritchie, St. Marys, Pa.

The best wishes of the PRESS and their large circle of friends go with them through life's journey.

Colored Folks Picnic.

Mrs. Wm. Robinson and sons gave a picnic at Keystone Park last Friday in honor of Rev. Farley Fisher, wife and children, of Williamsport. The following were invited guests: Mrs. Z. A. Jones and child, of Rock Hill S. C.; Reuben Fountain and family, Wm. Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Battle, Mrs. H. W. Graham. Of course they had a delightful day.

Death on Train.

Last Thursday afternoon a log train on John E. DuBois lumber road struck a woodsman named Sagnitia, terribly mangle his right leg and one arm. Dr. Merrill placed him on a train to take him to a DuBois hospital, but his injuries being so serious that he died on the train between Hicks Run and Benesette.

Children's Day Services.

The Children's Day service at the Baptist Church last Sunday evening was enjoyed by a large and attentive audience. The floral decorations were exquisite. The program used was Tullar-Meredith Co's "Carland of Praise." The committee in charge are to be complimented on the success which attended their efforts.

"Nice and Dandy, Thank You."

Ed. Hackett and wife, who reside on Third street, are exceedingly proud of those twin boys who made their advent at their home last Saturday morning. Mr. Hackett, who is one of C. B. Howard Company's efficient woods foremen, did not know of the important event until he arrived home Saturday evening. Although this is their second bunch of twins, they are "nice and dandy, thank you."

I. X. L. Ice Cream for July 4th.

To avoid disappointment leave your order early for Fourth of July Ice Cream. With a large additional line of new packers just purchased, I am prepared to take care of all orders.

J. B. MEISEL.

Emmanuel Church Services.

July 4, Fourth Sunday after Trinity: 10:30 a. m., Holy Communion. Subject of Sermon, "The Nation and Humanity."

7:30 p. m., Evening-Prayer and Sermon.

JOE PAGANO PAYS THE PENALTY

The Italian who Murdered John Kibe Executed in the Jail Yard at 10:11 Tuesday Morning

DISPLAYED WONDERFUL NERVE

The second execution in the history of Cameron county took place on Tuesday morning at 10:11, when Joe Pagano, aged 27 years, paid the penalty for the murder of John Kibe, a citizen of Emporium, on the evening of Nov. 26th, 1908, at the American House, while intoxicated.



JOE PAGANO.

THE CRIME.

On the evening of Nov. 26, 1908, about 8:30, Joe Pagano, an Italian who has resided in Emporium for two or three years, went into the American Hotel conducted by Chas. Farley and being boisterous and disorderly the landlord ejected him from the house at three different times. The infuriated Italian stormed around in front of the hotel when he pulled out a revolver and fired in the sidewalk. Mr. John Kibe who stood in the hotel, went to the door to see what the Italian was doing and spoke to him, requesting that he go home. Almost instantly he raised the gun and fired at Kibe, the ball entering his right side near the heart. Kibe at once turned back and sitting down, said, "I'm shot." Great excitement prevailed. The injured man was removed to the parlor and Drs. Smith, Bush and Falk summoned. Promptly upon the arrival of the Drs. it was evident that the unfortunate man had but a few minutes to live. The leaden messenger of death had severed an artery and the wounded man passed to the great beyond surrounded by his grief-stricken wife and children, at 9:07.

While the sad scene was taking place in the "death room," Chief of Police Frank Mundy called for volunteers to aid him in finding and arresting the murderer, who after committing the dastardly deed walked up to Leet & Co's store and passed across the street down towards the Junction. Mr. Mundy hurried down to Wm. Clark's and requested his assistance which was readily granted. The officer passed the Italian while enroute for Clark's and after telling Mr. Clark to "give him the club as soon as he jumped into him," retraced his steps and caught up with the murderer in front of E. D. Mumford's residence, when Mundy threw both arms around him, Mr. Clark at the same time vaulted him on the head. After properly securing him he was taken to St. Charles Hotel and searched. Upon his person was found a large stiletto, one razor and five or six cartridges. The revolver, which he dropped when captured, contained two charges—one being fired in the sidewalk, one into John Kibe and the other at the hotel as he passed down the street.

On Friday morning he was taken before Esq. Larrabee, who committed him to jail to await the action of the grand jury on the second Monday of January, 1909.

FOUND GUILTY.

The prisoner was tried at the term of court convened on Monday, Jan. 11th, 1909. Was defended by Mr. F. D. Leet and prosecuted by District Attorney, J. P. McNarney. On Thursday, Jan. 12th the prisoner was found

guilty of murder in the first degree by the following jurymen:

Adams, Delmont, farmer Shippen.
Bark, F. S., laborer, Grove.
Bailey, C. M., farmer, Gibson.
Comley, Fred, laborer, Lumber.
Connel, C. A., clerk, Grove.
Darrin, J. H., carpenter, Lumber.
Goss, R. R., laborer, Grove.
Mote, Howard, laborer, Gibson.
Reid, J. L., farmer, Shippen.
Spangler, Chas., farmer, Shippen.
Wykoff, Isaac, laborer, Lumber.
Williams, A. R., laborer, Grove.

On the following day, Friday, Jan. 13th, 1909, his Honor, Judge Hall, reconvened court at 2:50 p. m., when High Sheriff, John W. Norris, brought the prisoner before the Bar, when sentence was passed. The prisoner seemed dazed and did not seem to realize the terrible truth.

AWAITING SENTENCE.

During the long months awaiting the death warrant, which was issued May 26th, 1909, the condemned man fretted and worried and not being familiar with the ways of this country thought that every person who entered his cell had "come to kill me." At times he grew very sociable and chatted with the prisoners pleasantly. When a prisoner escaped from the jail, Joe gave the alarm. Every effort was made to have his sentence commuted to life imprisonment, but without avail. Before his trial, a fellow countryman collected a large sum of money, said to be about \$500, with which to secure the services of a first class criminal lawyer, but the chap skipped out for Italy with the money.

NEARING THE FATAL DAY.

About six weeks ago he began to prepare for death and called for Father Thomas Downey, who almost daily visited his cell and prepared the condemned man to meet his God. Pagano insisted that he did not know he had killed Kibe, saying "America whiskey bad whiskey—make crazy." For weeks the condemned man ate little or nothing and became very sick two or three times. However, he got better and more reconciled. On Saturday he requested Ed. Blinzler to call and give him "his last shave." During this time the prisoner's arms were handcuffed behind his back.

THE EXECUTION.

On Monday, the final preparations were made between the jail and court house, an enclosure being placed around the scene. A couple of State constabulary police arrived on Monday and assisted, in addition to a number of deputy sheriffs and aided in guarding against any outbreak. Sheriff Norris took no chances. Crowds of people gathered at the court house Monday evening and early Tuesday morning, but were kept back by the special officers.

At ten o'clock all being in readiness the following Sheriff's Jurymen took their places around the scaffold: Stewart Nellis, Emporium.

Amos Ross, Gibson.
Jacob Kriner, Shippen.
Wm. Berry, Lumber.
Joseph Kissell, Lumber.
Anson O. Swartwood, Emporium.
Geo. Market, Shippen.
Wm. McDonald, Shippen.
Sylvester McDonough, Emporium.
Henry J. Darrin, Lumber.
Byron Duell, Gibson.
Wm. Rankin, Gibson.

THE DEATH MARCH.

The rites of the Catholic Church having been concluded in the cell the solemn procession entered the yard, accompanied by the three Fathers and officers, the condemned man walking with an air of confidence and resignation.

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No Press Next Week.

"In accordance with the time-honored custom" there will not be a paper issued next week from this office. The office will be open for transaction of business and job printing. Let us all reverently observe the 4th of July.

Knights of Columbus in Their New Home.

Emporium Council, No. 990, K. of C., are now grandly located in their new home in Egan Block, formerly known as Olmsted Block, on East Fourth street. They met there last Monday evening for the first time and last evening was ladies night. They occupy one-half of the second floor as social rooms, this section being elegantly furnished, newly papered and painted. The rooms consist of a parlor, fitted up in style that presents a very inviting appearance, a billiard room containing two new and up-to-date tables, card rooms, bath room, all carpeted and furnished regardless of cost. The third floor will be used as lodge room, regalia room, preparatory room and kitchen. The taste displayed in the fitting of their new quarters are now the best appointed in this county. This rapidly growing order are certainly to be congratulated upon having such grand quarters. Mr. B. Egan, the proprietor of this large building, contemplates additional improvements, well calculated to enhance the value of the property. A PRESS representative was delighted to visit this finely appointed "home" but failed to locate the goat, but he is there for we saw its tracks.

"The Peerless Leader."

The death of Hon. Israel W. Durham removes from the Republican party, and especially from Philadelphia, one of the most fearless leaders. Senator Durham was closer to the rank and file of the Republican party than any other leader. His shoes will be just as hard to fill as Senator Quay's—the man has not yet been born to take Matthew Stanley Quay's place, as a leader. Senator Durham's funeral takes place this (Thursday) afternoon.

Obituary.

William Paul Barr aged three years and three months, only son of W. E., and Margaret Barr, died Tuesday, June 22, from injuries received in an accident June 20th. Interment was made in Hicks Run cemetery on the 24th. William was a bright child and his parents have the sympathy of the entire community. Rev. Beale, of DuBois, delivered the funeral address.

Fish and War Stories.

Judge LaBar and party came home from Findley Run last evening, after spending three days after trout. Jas. Wright and Jos. Friendel joined them on Tuesday and sat up most all night listening to the Judge's interesting war stories. He was there and helped to skin them and can tell how it was done, too.

A Pleasant Home.

H. S. Lloyd and family have moved into their new home on West Fourth street and they certainly have a very pleasant place. The writer had the pleasure of being shown through the house and everything is cozy and very neat. Here's hoping that H. S., and family will live long to enjoy their new home.

L. O. T. M. Notice.

Ladies of Gladioli Hive are hereby notified that Review will be held every two weeks during July and August, beginning with July 13th. Those in arrears are kindly requested to remit at once at home of the R. K.

HELENA M. BUTLER, R. K.

State Constabulary.

C. E. Haas and Roy Nevius, members of the State Constabulary, stationed at Punxsutawney, came to Emporium on Monday to remain a few days.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barr wish to thank their many friends for the kindness shown, following the accident and death of their son, WILLIAM.

MR. AND MRS. WALTER BARR.

Dance at Park.

There will be a ten cent per set dance at Keystone Park, from 2:00 to 6:00 p. m., Monday, July 6th. Come and have a good time.

For Sale

One second hand Reaper; one second hand mower; one platform scales; one cultivator; a lot of log chains. The above will be sold cheap for cash.

WM. HACKENBERG, Emporium, Pa.

THE WEATHER.

FRIDAY, Fair.
SATURDAY, Showers.
SUNDAY, Showers.

ASSETS
First National Bank,
EMPORIUM, PA.
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EARLY TRAINING.

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DR. LEON REX FELT,
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Rockwell Block, Emporium, Pa.

DR. H. W. MITCHELL,
DENTIST.
(Successor to Dr. A. B. Mead.)
Office over A. E. Vogt's Shoe Store,
Emporium, Pa. 129



Program for the Fourth of July Celebration on Monday, July 5th at Keystone Park.

One p. m.—Parade of Firemen, Boys Brigade and other organizations headed by Fisk's Juvenile Band to Keystone Park. Parade starts from corner Fourth and Broad street. At Keystone Park, unfurling of the Human Flag, represented by 108 maidens, singing the "Star Spangled Banner" and "America."

"Tag of War" by two teams of the Boys' Brigade, Prize \$3.00.
50 yard dash—Free for all. First prize \$2.00; second prize \$1.00.

Girls Race.—First prize \$2.00 parasol; second prize \$1.00 parasol.
Sack Race.—first prize \$2.00; second prize \$1.00.

Wheelbarrow Race.—first prize \$2.00 second prize \$1.00.
Potato Race.—first prize \$2.00; second prize \$1.00.

Nail Driving contest by ten young Ladies. Prize, beautiful jewelled Come.

Base Ball—Emporium vs Olean. Dancing in the pavillion during the afternoon.

Lunch and refreshments can be had at the park.

REQUEST—The children taking part in the Human Flag are requested to be at the Grand Stand in the park next Saturday afternoon at four o'clock for practice.

Engagement Announced.

Mrs. Frances E. Richardson of Driftwood announce the engagement of her daughter Ruth to Mr. Chas. D. Porter, of Mifflin, Pa., last Friday afternoon at a tea.

Mr. Porter is a son of Dr. Miles Porter, a prominent surgeon of Fort Wayne, Ind.

Miss Richardson is a frequent visitor in Emporium where she has many friends.

Mrs. Laura Bryan, Miss Bryan and Miss Grace Walker were among the out of town guests.

First Methodist Episcopal Church. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m.; Patriotic sermon at 10:30, a. m.; by the pastor; Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.; short sermon at 7:30 p. m.

Cattle Killed.

It is reported that thirty-three cattle on the John E. DuBois farm at DuBois have been killed by the state authorities, the cattle being infected with tuberculosis.

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Local notices 10 cents per line for one insertion; 5 cents per line for each subsequent consecutive insertion.

Obituary notices over five lines, 10 cents per line. Simple announcements of births, marriages and deaths will be inserted free.

Business cards, five lines or less, 40 cents per year; over five lines, at the regular rates of advertising.

No local inserted for less than 75 cents per line.

JOB PRINTING.

The Job department of the Press is complete and affords facilities for doing the best class of work. PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO LAW PRINTING.

No paper will be discontinued until arrears are paid, except at the option of the publisher. Papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance.

Caters for Mourners' Patronage.

The proprietor of one of the saloons near a Long Island cemetery, with an eye to business, sends black bordered circulars to houses from which there will be a funeral, stating that special attention will be given to funeral parties and that "private rooms, nicely furnished, will be reserved for chief mourners."—New York Tribune.

Mysteries of Existence.

Is anything more wonderful than another, if you consider it maturely? I have seen no man rise from the dead; I have seen some thousands rise from nothing. I have not the force to fly into the sun, but I have force to lift my hands, which is equally strange.—Thomas Carlyle.

Plays Solitaire with Dice.

A prosperous looking man who has frequented the same cafe for two years in Liberty street always stops at the bar before he sits down to his luncheon and shakes dice with himself to decide whether he will take a drink or not. He never throws with any other person.—New York Press.

The Elixir of Youth.

Time deals very gently with those women who bring the imaginative faculties into play in everyday life, and surround their cares with a little halo of their own; who constantly muster courage, self-sacrifice, energy; who bridle vanity and annihilate self.—Family Doctor.

Scotland Yard.

Scotland Yard, the headquarters of the police in London, England, is called from a palace which formerly stood there for the reception of the king of Scotland when he came to England to pay homage to his overlord, the king of England.

Proper Display of the News.

The Rome Tribune "would like to read of one hotel fire where the nightgowns did not get in the headlines." That's right; leave the most prominent feature of the parade to the body of the article.—Nashville American.

Measure of Celebrity.

An actress must be well known to have the papers print the fact that she is about to be married; she must be famous in order to have it stated that she is not going to get married.—New York Post.

More of the Same.

"Is there anything in Houston more glorious than one of those red-headed and dimpled widows?" Is a query which comes from Lake Charles. Yes, sir. Two of them are twice as glorious.—Houston Post.

Four Times in Pittsburg.

It would take a book to tell why twice as many women as men go to church. One reason is that women are twice as good, and another that they are more than twice as pretty.—Boston Herald.

The Ruler of the Roast.

Cook—Your wife, sir, came into the kitchen this mornin', and insolent me, and it's wan of two things—either she laves the house, or I do!—Lippincott's.

Good Definition for Power.

To deal honestly with others is not so difficult. To compel others to deal honestly with you—that is power.—Smart Set.

Sublimity.

As for the sublime, it is, even among the greatest geniuses, only the most elevated that can reach it.—La Bruyere.

Putting Handicap on Baby.

Perhaps parents have a right to be eccentric, but giving a freak name to a little helpless baby is a mighty mean thing to do.

Seems Simple Thing to Do.

A spiky writer says: "While a man of 60 can take an interest in the latest tie—and tie it—he is preserving his youth."

A Near-Fulfillment.

"What on earth does Binks keep a pet goose for?" "He says he does because its 'honk' is as near as he can get to owning an automobile."

IMPORTANT NEWS
NOTES OF A WEEKLATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD
OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED
FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed into a Few Lines for the
Perusal of the Busy Man—
Latest Personal Information.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The senate voted to increase the duty on shoes from 15 to 20 per cent. ad valorem.

President Taft summoned members of his cabinet and several leading senators to the White House for a conference to devise a plan for levying a tax on corporations.

PERSONAL.

Miss Edith Dodds, daughter of the secretary of the Illinois board of pharmacy, was married in London to Robert L. S. McClure, son of S. S. McClure, the magazine publisher.

Maj. Charles J. T. Clarke, Twenty-sixth Infantry, has been dismissed from the army for misconduct in financial affairs.

William J. Bryan, Jr., and Miss Helen Berger were married at the bride's summer home at Grand Lake, Col.

Newton D. Alling of New York was elected president of the American Institute of Banking, and Chattanooga, Tenn., was selected as the next meeting place.

The home of W. H. Whalen, former superintendent of the Iowa division of the Northwestern railway, was destroyed by a bomb at Tucson, Ariz.

John J. Ryan, former race track plunger, was indicted in Cincinnati on a charge of operating a bucket shop.

Charles M. Schwab, president of the Bethlehem Steel Company, returned from a trip to Europe.

Henry George, Jr., is the guest of Count Leo Tolstol at Yasnai-Poliana. The count welcomed his visitor most cordially on account of his father, whose economic ideas he admires greatly.

GENERAL NEWS.

Mrs. Edith May Thompson Woodill, protegee of Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury, was slain at St. Michaels, Md., by a newspaper writer named Roberts and her body weighted down in a creek.

Mrs. Howard Gould again took the witness stand and denied charges made by her husband's witnesses. Dustin Farnum, in a deposition, denied improper relations with Mrs. Gould.

Reports from several cities of the capture of Leon Ling, slayer of Elsie Sigel, proved to be untrue.

Twelve men fell 315 feet to the bottom of a coal mine near Clinton, Ind., when the clutch of the elevator failed to work, and several may die.

Gov. Hoke Smith of Georgia suspended D. G. McLendon, chairman of the state railroad commission, who had refused to order a reduction in rates.

As the result of a race feud growing out of the election of Gov. Hughes, negroes set fire to several buildings in Goshen, N. Y., and the blaze caused \$100,000 loss.

After Fred M. Kell of Des Moines, Ia., had been killed by lightning, his faithful horse trotted into Perry with the body in the buggy.

The body of Oscar Carlson was washed ashore and it is believed his companions, Andrew Smith and Edward Holm of Gladstone, Mich., were also drowned while on a fishing trip.

Six persons died in Pittsburg and eight in New York from the terrific heat which has been causing prostrations in the east.

The Suburban handicap, one of the greatest races on the American turf, was won by Fitzherbert, owned by Sam Hildreth.

Naval architects and marine engineers numbering 125, representing many firms of the country, are in Detroit for the annual convention of the body.

There was a deluge of small perch in Harlem street, New York, when firemen cleaned out the hydrants. Many children carried home the live perch in pails of water.

If President Taft's plan to tax corporations wins, 29 leading business concerns of the country will pay the government approximately \$5,000,000 a year. The Standard Oil Company will contribute about \$1,200,000 a year, it is estimated.

Bob Fitzsimmons returned from Europe and declared he is willing to fight Johnson, any time and anywhere.

The Mauretania broke the Atlantic ocean speed record when her passengers landed in London after five days and eight hours from New York.

Passengers on the New York Central's Chicago special, a fast train, were excited when two Pullman cars caught fire as the speeder was leaving New York city.

The American branch of the International Banking Company was opened in Peking.

Henry Clark and Chesley Hubbard, negroes, are under arrest at Denison, Ia., charged with killing Lee C. Warner and wounding Alva Dechelt, brakemen in the Northwestern railroad. The negroes, it is said, were stealing a ride and the killing followed an attempt to eject them.

By the arrest of Cho Wong Dock at Portland, Ore., Immigration Inspector Barbour believes he has unearthed an organized band that has smuggled Chinese into this country.

Seventeen men were killed and 16 injured by an explosion in mine No. 4 of the Lackawanna Coal & Coke Company at Wehrum, Pa.

Lydia Moffett, 17 years old, who had been held prisoner for six days in a Chinese opium den near the scene of the Elsie Sigel murder, was rescued by her mother.

Sergt. Acadenia, leader of the mutinous constabulary in the Philippines, was killed by Sergt. Hewson, one of his pursuers.

Mark Woodruff, former register of lands of Colorado, was arrested on a charge of embezzling \$15,000 of school land funds.

Nine tourists, including five Americans, were drowned when a boat capsized in Lake Killarney, Ireland.

Speaker Cannon told a group of girl graduates from Oswego, N. Y., men would have no chance at all if women were allowed to vote.

Fred Stevens, a young farmer, was shot from ambush while driving with his brother near the village of Hauluck, Ill.

Severe earthquake shocks were felt in several California cities and in Reno, N. M.

The New York to Seattle automobile race was won by the Ford car No. 2, its time being 22 days and 55 minutes.

Dr. Hills Cole of New York, in an address before the Homeopathic conference at Detroit, declared the people needed scarring to bring about a successful war on tuberculosis.

A. Teon, a Mexican banker, and his wife and seven children, arrived in New York from Europe, after spending \$100,000 on a year's vacation. They will visit Chicago on their way home.

Edward H. Harriman is quoted at Vienna as saying that "many men in New York would be glad to learn I was dead." He added that he "intended to live longer than most of them."

Filipino constabulary have killed the chief of the Savao mutineers and five have been captured. The remnant of the rebels is being pursued.

Chief Wilkie of the secret service says a new bogus \$10 bill is in circulation, which is such a bad counterfeit it may easily be detected. It is a copy of a German National Bank of San Francisco note.

Hailstones as big as walnuts fell in Iowa and caused much damage to corn and other crops.

Eighty superintendents of telegraph of leading railroads met in Detroit in annual convention. Dispatching trains by telephone will be discussed.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt and Ethel, Archie and Quentin Roosevelt sailed for Naples from New York with the intention of spending the summer on the continent and returning in November.

Forced by the "third degree," Chung Sin, room mate of Leon Ling, told the New York police and District Attorney Jerome how Ling killed Elsie Sigel.

Judge Holden of Kenosha, Wis., refused to grant citizenship papers to two Lithuanians because they had kept their saloons open on Sunday.

A lone bandit entered a bank in the heart of the business district of Fort Worth, Tex., in broad daylight, held up the cashier and fled in an automobile with \$8,100.

Dr. Frank C. Richardson of Boston told physicians attending a branch meeting of the Homeopathic congress at Detroit that drinking among business men is increasing.

A report of a parliamentary commission of France declared the country's \$700,000,000 navy is practically helpless because of red tape methods.

Gov. Stuart of Pennsylvania approved the state pardon board's recommendation that James B. Gentry, who murdered Madge Yorke, an actress, in 1895, be freed.

A princess was born to the queen of Spain, and the royal house was delighted at the arrival of a daughter, the two other children being boys.

Mistrusting banks, Mrs. Elizabeth Farrier of Sperry, Ia., who died recently, hid several thousands of dollars under a carpet and in an organ.

"Battling" Nelson, lightweight champion pugilist, knocked out Jack Clifford in five rounds at Oklahoma City.

Kermit Roosevelt, according to a report from the Loietta plains, where the hunting party is now located, killed the largest lion yet slain.

Articles of incorporation were filed in Los Angeles for a \$30,000,000 gas and electric company, which is designed to control all the gas and lighting plants in southern California.

With the arrival in New York soon of J. P. Morgan and other financiers it is expected in Washington that negotiations for the organization of a pan-American bank soon will begin.

Attorneys for 52 Nebraska banks have filed suit in the federal court in Lincoln, asking an injunction against the enforcement of the new bank-deposit guaranty law. The lawyers contend the act is confiscatory.

Representative Young of Michigan has introduced a bill in the house at Washington providing that preliminary or interlocutory injunctions shall be issued by the federal court after a hearing.

The Wright brothers took every precaution to prevent accident in the preparation of their new aeroplane for the government tests at Fort Myer.

Hezekiah Marshall, a negro tramp, who had attacked two women at Green Ridge, Ill., escaped from a mob by flagging a train with his red undershirt. He was captured in Carlinville.

The American Envelope Manufacturers' association met in Buffalo to devise means to stop the injury to their business through government manufacture of stamped envelopes.

MRS. GOULD DIVORCED

WITH EXCEPTION OF ALIMONY
HER VICTORY IS COMPLETE.

Vindicated of Charges of Intoxication
and Her Alleged Relations With
Dustin Farnum, the Actor.

New York City.—After a trial which has lasted nearly three weeks, Katherine Clemmons Gould obtained a legal separation from her husband, Howard Gould, third son of the late Jay Gould, by a decision of Justice Dowling in the supreme court here. With the exception of alimony, her victory was complete, but in this phase of the case the court decided that \$36,000 a year was sufficient, although in her suit Mrs. Gould asked for \$250,000.

It was in the vindication of charges of intoxication and her alleged relations with Dustin Farnum, the actor, that Mrs. Gould scored most strongly, for notwithstanding the long array of witnesses for Mr. Gould who gave such testimony as to make Mrs. Gould appear at times as defendant rather than plaintiff, the court held that the alleged "intoxication" might have been due to excitement.

As to Dustin Farnum it was held that her association with him came after Mr. and Mrs. Gould separated and the husband apparently made no objection.

Immediately after the decision, De Lancey Nicoll, for Mr. Gould, asked for a 60-day stay of judgment and Clarence J. Shearn, for the plaintiff, was on his feet to object. He asked for an immediate judgment. Justice Dowling compromised by making the stay 30 days. Mr. Shearn then asked for an extra allowance for counsel fees and the court gave him \$2,000. This, together with the \$10,000 allowed recently and the original allowance of \$5,000, will bring his fees to \$17,000, with an additional sum of \$2,900 for expenses.

REPORTS ARE ENCOURAGING

Continued Improvement in Industrial
and Mercantile Business Noted
all Over the Country.

New York City.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Reports from the principal industrial and mercantile centers are of an encouraging nature and even the long delay in tariff readjustment and the new controversy over the proposition to levy a tax on the net earnings of corporations do not seem to hold in check the improvement in business conditions. The improvement, though based upon many sound economic conditions, is undoubtedly facilitated by the ease of money, which also in part explains the prevailing tendency toward high prices. Hot weather is stimulating the distribution of seasonable merchandise.

With continued new business and restoration of wages the uplift in the iron and steel trade is maintained, the railroads placing notably large orders for rails. Wholesale dry goods markets are broadening.

HEAT DRIVES WOMAN INSANE

She Throws Herself and Young Daughter from a Five-Story Building and Both are Dead.

New York City.—Driven temporarily insane by the excessive heat, Mrs. Emma Monthy threw herself and her eight-year-old daughter from the roof of a five-story apartment house in Quincy street, in an exclusive section of Brooklyn. Both were killed instantly.

Mrs. Monthy's husband is employed as superintendent of the apartment house and the family occupied rooms in the basement. Mother and daughter went to the roof early in the evening in search for relief from the oppressive heat. They had been there only a few moments when the mother went to the edge of the roof and picking up the child, leaped over the low cornice to the asphalt below.

There were at least seven deaths in the city proper due to heat, one suicide and two attempts at suicide.

TERRIBLE DEED OF A YOUTH

Boy Shoots His Younger Brother and Then Buries Him Alive in the Sand.

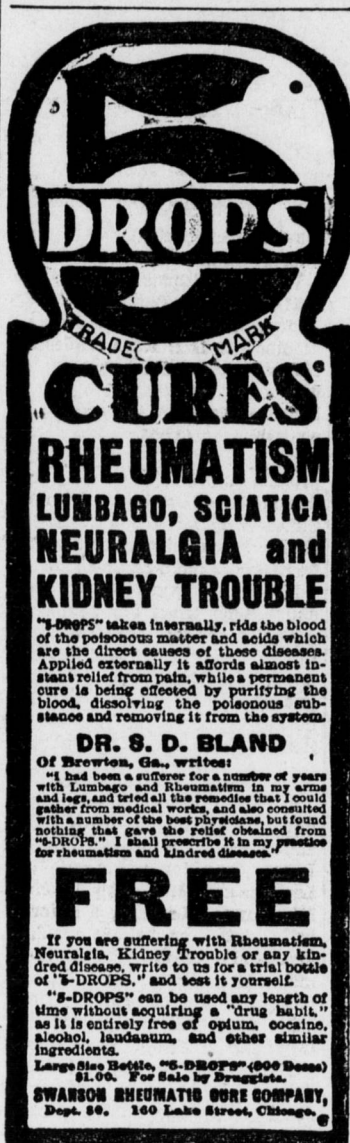
Modesto, Cal.—Cecil Hopkins, 12 years, confessed that he shot and buried his brother Theodore, 6 years, and his statement strengthened the coroner's belief that the victim was buried alive on the hill where his body was found.

According to his story, Cecil killed Theodore while the parents were absent from home, after the boys had quarreled over their meal. Cecil said he drove his brother from the house and shot him. Fearing the consequences of his deed when the parents returned, he dug a grave in the sand and buried his brother, supposed to have been still alive.

Arthur P. Heinze Guilty.

New York City.—Arthur P. Heinze, one of the brothers whose banking and copper operations have been the subject of investigation since the collapse of their copper pool, was found guilty by a jury in the United States circuit court here of corruptly impeding the administration of justice in connection with the disappearance of the United Copper Co.'s books. After a long wrangle between attorneys sentence was suspended by Judge Ray until October 11. Lawyer Robinson was fined \$250.

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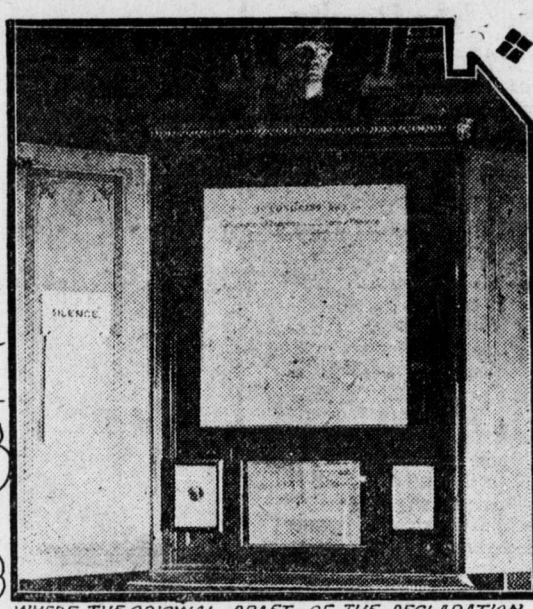
July Fourth, 1776

By EDWARD B. CLARK

WASHINGTON. — There was unveiled in the nation's capital recently a statue of the Rev. John Witherspoon, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence. More and more attention is being given throughout the country to the memories of the men who signed the liberty document. Not long ago there was held in Washington a convention of the descendants of the signers. It is expected that as the result of the labors of this hereditary organization there will be gathered together for preservation in one safe place all the things that are attainable which had intimate association with the men who on the 4th of July, 1776, took their lives and their pens in hand.

In the year 1776 lived a woman who was fond of giving curtain lectures to her husband. She was the original Mrs. Caudle, though her name was Mrs. Dickinson, the wife of John Dickinson of Pennsylvania, whose "Letters of a Pennsylvania Farmer" had done much to arouse a spirit of liberty among the people. One night several weeks before the meeting of the continental congress, of which Dickinson was a member, his spouse, speaking from beneath the shadow of her nightcap, said: "Johnny, if you have anything to do with this independence business you'll be hanged, and leave a most excellent widow." John Dickinson spoke against the resolution declaring the colonies to be free and independent.

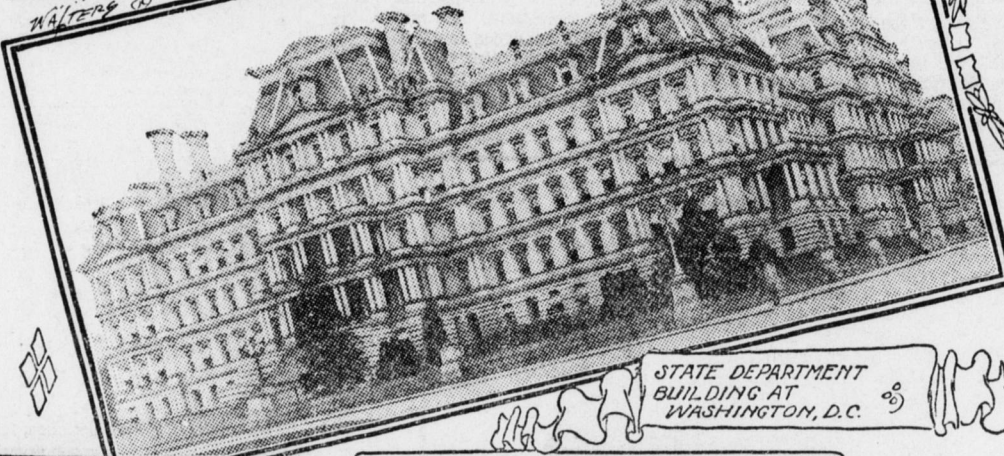
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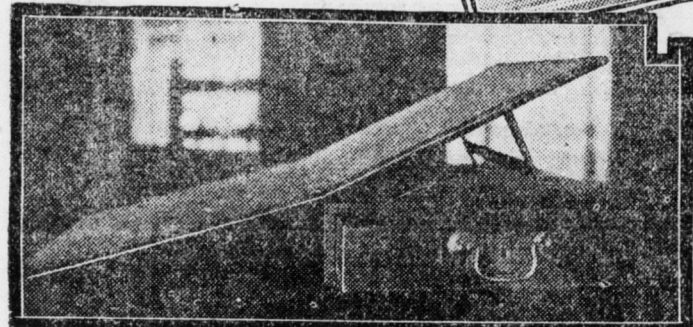
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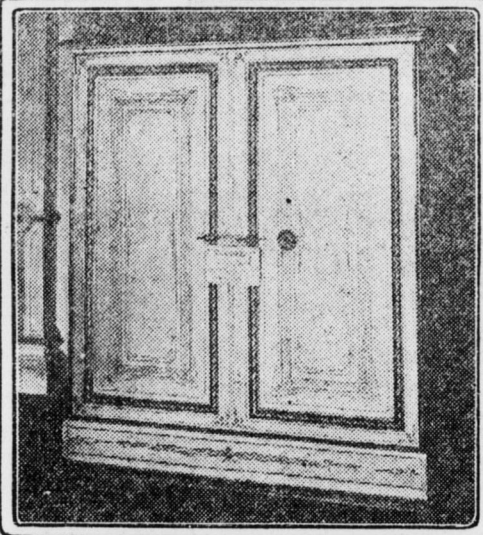
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HISTORIC DESK ON WHICH JEFFERSON WROTE THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE



THE STEEL SAFE IN WHICH THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE IS PRESERVED

the capture of any one of the members of the body that King George would have him strung up speedily should there be written evidence that he had spoken against the supremacy of the crown. When the Brunswick monarch, however, had been forced to relinquish his grip on the united colonies, some of the delegates told what they had said or what others had said. These fragmentary speeches had never before been gathered together, it is believed. Bits of them appear here and there in revolutionary-day stories. Others are to be found in the correspondence of some of the fathers of the republic, and two others have had their spirit, but not their letter, preserved through one of the almost matchless orations of Webster.

It is a well-known fact that the declaring of the colonies independent was not thought of seriously before the convening of the memorable congress of the spring of 1776. Washington was bitterly opposed to any such declaration until it became a military and civil necessity. Patrick Henry was perhaps the only outspoken advocate of the year when the cutting was actually accomplished, though Benjamin Franklin and Timothy Dwight thought, and sometimes said, that the yoke should be removed. Henry, by the way, in one of his speeches, undoubtedly gave the keynote to which Robert Emmet afterward attuned the last sentence of his speech when condemned to die. As early as 1773 Patrick Henry declared that the colonies should strike for independence, and prophesied that France would not be backward in coming to their aid. The last words of his speech were almost literally a part of the concluding words of Robert Emmet's speech: "Then our country shall take her place among the nations of the earth."

The original declaration of Independence was a local affair. Mecklenburg county, North Carolina, at a public meeting held in the town of Charlotte, in August, 1775, declared that "it threw off forever all allegiance to the British crown." It was not long after this that North Carolina instructed its delegates to the continental congress to vote "first, last and always" for the independence of the united colonies. It must be said that many historians doubt the authenticity of the Mecklenburg declaration.

The congress that was to declare America free convened in Philadelphia, and in a general way discussed the matter of throwing off the yoke. Richard Henry Lee of Virginia introduced this resolution: "Moved, That these united colonies are, and of right ought to be, free and independent states, and that all political connection between us and Great Britain is, and ought to be, dissolved."

John Adams of Massachusetts seconded the motion, but the names of both mover and seconder were omitted from the record, because it was the belief that if the British authorities got hold of them as prisoners they would stretch hemp without a trial. Before the discussion of the resolution congress adjourned and came together again in June, when began the debate, perhaps the most momentous in history, the details of which, save in detached

form, were never preserved. During a part of the proceedings Benjamin Franklin presided.

In a letter written 20 years after the debate one of the delegates said that when Benjamin Franklin, after the signing, said: "Now, we must all hang together or we'll all hang separately," Harrison, who had a ready wit, looking at his ample proportions, said: "If they drop us off at a rope's end some of you lightweights will be kicking and suffering long after I'm done for."

During the time of the adjournment, the committee which had been appointed to prepare the declaration of independence chose Jefferson, the youngest of their members, to write the document, on the ground that he was "the best penman" in the lot. Now, the word penman in those days was sometimes used to denote a man who expressed himself well on paper, and not necessarily a man who wrote a good hand. The English of the declaration perhaps shows that the word was used with the former significance, though some of Jefferson's detractors have insisted that Tom Paine wrote the famous document.

The Declaration of Independence was read paragraph by paragraph to the assembled members. As a matter of fact, the most brilliant speakers were opposed to the resolution. Among those so opposed were Dickinson, Robert R. Livingston, James Wilson and Edward Rutledge. It leaked out afterward that most of these men made speeches opposing the severing of the British bonds. Of three of those who spoke in favor of independence it was afterward said: "Jefferson was no speaker; George Wyeth was sensible, but not clear, and Witherspoon was clear, but heavy."

It has always been believed that Richard Henry Lee said, in standing for the absolute independence of his country: "Why still deliberate? Why, sir, do you longer delay? Let this happy day give birth to an American republic. Let her arise, not to devastate and conquer, but to re-establish the reign of peace and law. The eyes of Europe are fixed upon us; she demands of us a living example of freedom that may exhibit a contrast in the felicity of the citizen to the ever-increasing tyranny which desolates her polluted shores. If we are not this day wanting in our duty to our country the names of the American legislators of 1776 will be placed by posterity at the side of Theseus, of Lycurgus, of Romulus, of Numa, of the three Williams of Nassau, and of all those whose memories have been and forever will be dear to virtuous men and good citizens."

Just how Lee's speech leaked out was not known, but it led to a somewhat remarkable scene in the English school of St. Bees. Lee had a son, a mere boy, a pupil in St. Bees. A member of a board of visitors to the institution asked the head master who the boy was. "He is the son of Richard Henry Lee of America" was the answer.

When Daniel Webster delivered his panegyric of Thomas Jefferson and John Adams he drew a verbal picture of that scene in the continental congress when the Declaration of Independence was under discussion. He knew the thread of Dickinson's discourse as it had been imputed to him, and though Webster mentioned no name, his amplification of Dickinson's words will probably stand forever as containing the essence of the opposition of the colonial legislator to the taking of a firm stand for his country's freedom.

Dickinson's speech, as it has come down, runs in part as follows: "Let us pause. This step, once taken, cannot be retraced. This resolution, once passed, will cut off all hope of reconciliation. If success attend the arms of England we shall then be no longer colonies, with charters and with privileges; these will all be forfeited by this act, and we shall be in the condition of other conquered people—at the mercy of the conquerors. For ourselves, we may be ready to run the hazard, but are we ready to carry the country to that length? Is success so probable as to justify us? Where is the military, where the naval power, by which we are to resist the whole strength of the arms of England, for she will exert that strength to the utmost? Can we rely on the constancy and perseverance of the people, or will they not act as the people of other countries have acted, and wearied with a long war, submit in the end to a worse oppression? While we stand on our old ground and insist on redress of grievances we know we are right, and are not answerable for consequences. Nothing, then, can be imputed to us. But if we now change our object, carry our pretensions farther and set up for absolute independence, we shall lose the sympathy of mankind. We shall no longer be defending what we possess, and which we have solemnly and uniformly disclaimed all intention of pursuing from the very outset of the troubles. Abandoning thus our old grounds of resistance only to arbitrary acts of oppression, the nations will believe the whole to have been mere pretense, and they will look on us not as in-

jured, but as ambitious, subjects. "I shudder before this responsibility. It will be on us if, relinquishing the ground on which we have stood so long, and stood so safely, we now proclaim independence and carry on war for that object, while these cities burn, these pleasant fields whiten and bleach with the bones of their owners, and these streams run blood. It will be upon us; it will be upon us if, failing to maintain this unreasonable and ill-judged declaration, a sterner despotism, maintained by military power, shall be established over our posterity, when we ourselves, given up by an exhausted, a harassed and misled people, shall have expiated our rashness and atoned for our presumption on the scaffold."

It is a fairly well established fact that one of the delegates, lacking a prepared speech of his own, quoted from Tom Paine's pamphlet, "Common Sense," which some months before had created a sensation. Tom Paine, as is well known, was an atheist, but that made little difference to the delegate, who was said to be a pious Puritan, when he had a chance to let his feelings go ripping through sentences like these: "It matters very little now what the king of England either says or does; he hath wickedly broken through every moral and human obligation, trampled nature and conscience beneath his feet, and by a steady and constitutional spirit of insolence and cruelty procured for himself a universal hatred."

It has been reported that John Witherspoon of Princeton, staunch orthodox Presbyterian, was the man who quoted thus liberally from Tom Paine, atheist. Some years afterward the Scotch dominie, it is said, was taken to task for quoting Paine, and reverend John said, if tradition may be believed, that the devil's pitchfork was none too bad a weapon to use in prodding John Bull out of the country.

It was left, however, for John Adams to make the great speech that brought to the side of those favoring independence all the wavering ones, and strengthened in their position those who stood for the signing of the declaration. What Adams said was given in substance to the world when there was no longer any danger of his being hanged for his utterances. Daniel Webster lent his own eloquence and something of his diction to his interpretation of Adams' discourse, which, on the eventful day, it may be truly said won for the country the declaration of independence.

Adams' powerful and electrifying speech was in part as follows: "It is true, indeed, that in the beginning we aimed not at independence. But there's a divinity which shapes our ends. The injustice of England has driven us to arms, and, blinded to her own interest for our good, she has obstinately persisted till independence is now within our grasp. We have but to reach forth to it and it is ours. Why, then, should we defer the declaration? Is any man so weak as now to hope for a reconciliation with England, which shall leave either safety to the country and its liberties or safety to his own life and his own honor?"

"I know there is not a man here who would not rather see a general conflagration sweep over the land or an earthquake sink it than one jot or tittle of that plighted faith fall to the ground. For myself, having 12 months ago in this place moved you that George Washington be appointed commander of the forces raised or to be raised for defense of American liberty, may my right hand forget her cunning and my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth if I hesitate or waver in the support I give him."

"My judgment approves this measure and my whole heart is in it. All that I have and all that I am, and all that I hope in this life, I am now ready here to stake upon it. I am for the declaration. It is my living sentiment, and, by the grace of God, it shall be my dying sentiment, independence now and independence forever."

The 2d of July is in reality Independence day, for on this date in the year 1776 a majority of the delegates from each colony voted for the declaration. Two days later the document was signed and went into effect, and from that day to this, in fulfillment of John Adams' prophecy, the day has been celebrated "with pomp, parade, games, sports, guns, bells, bonfires, and illumination from one end of the continent to the other."

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11:50 Sunday School. The adult class will take an outline of the Book of Exodus.

6:30 Christian Endeavor service. The pastor will conduct this service giving the first of a series of talks on "Practical use of the Bible." The doors will be closed at 6:50 and no one allowed to enter during the lesson.

7:30 Independence Day Sermon. Patriotic selections by the choir.

JOHN L. BOGUE, Pastor.

First Presbyterian Church.

Paul J. Lux, Pastor.

Morning Worship and Sermon, 10:30.

Sunday School, 11:45.

Junior endeavor, 3 p. m.

Christian Endeavor, 6:30.

Evening Service, 7:30.

Mid-summer sermons, short, interesting and helpful. Come and worship with us. A cordial invitation to all.

Linoleum at 99c per yard is getting scarce at C. B. Howard & Co's.

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Joe Pagano Pays The Penalty

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clasping in his hands a cross and crucifix, and stood under the scaffold awaiting the final summons that should send him to eternity. Ex-Sheriff C. S. King, of Port Allegany, who has assisted at many executions in the past twenty-five years, adjusted the rope, when the Priests and prisoner repeated a series of prayers. At this juncture Pagano asked for Santo Legato, (a shoemaker employed in the A. F. Vogt's store), with whom he used to board. Sheriff Norris sent for his friend to whom he said: "Tell mother I have done wrong, but please forgive me. Tell sisters to be good girls." These were the only words spoken under the gallows. Before leaving his cell he said to Father Downey, who had been almost daily his visitor for several weeks: "I was a bad man while working in powder and might have been killed and lost. Now I am prepared to go and am saved," at the same time shaking hands with all the prisoners and bidding them good bye. As the black hood was drawn over the head of Pagano, who was kissing the cross and crucifix, Sheriff King signalled to Sheriff Norris "all right" when Sheriff Norris severed the rope, in an instant, swinging Pagano into the air as the heavy weighted box fell a distance of three feet. This was exactly at 10:14. The victim never knew what struck him, his neck being broken; not even a quiver or movement of muscles. Father Catelanno, of Shawmut, an Italian Priest, continued to offer prayer until Drs. H. S. Falk and H. W. Bush, of town, and Drs. McGrainer, of Port Allegany, and Ostrander, of Smethport, pronounced him dead, his pulse ceasing to beat at 10:24, it being just thirteen minutes after the trap fell. At 10:28 his body was cut down and given in charge of Undertaker Egan to prepare for burial, his friends having arranged to give his remains a christian burial in the Catholic cemetery, the funeral taking place from B. Egan's undertaking rooms yesterday morning, at eight o'clock, Rev. Thos. B. Downey officiating.

The Sheriff, District Attorney and Sheriff's Jury repaired to the court house when the final affidavits were prepared and signed, as required by the law. Sheriff Norris thanked the jury for their assistance and expressed a wish that neither would again be called upon to act in similar manner.

NOTES AND INCIDENTS.

The tax-payers of Cameron county have, or will have to pay all the expenses from start to finish, which will amount to about \$2,500. This in addition to the trial and execution of Odell will foot up to about \$8,000.

The execution attracted a very large attendance, many coming from adjoining counties. The Sheriff displayed guarded discretion and refused to admit any Italians, except Santo Legato. In fact no Italians came near the court house grounds, having made their visits before the execution.

Very many Sheriffs and other county officials attended the execution on Tuesday.

It was just seven months to the day when John Kibe was buried that Joe Pagano paid the penalty.

About seventy persons witnessed the execution, including the deputy sheriffs.

Joe Pagano, the victim of his crime, leaves a mother and two sisters in Italy, to whom he sent \$20.00 every two months. His mother, who had been notified of the date of execution, hoped her boy might be saved from the gallows. She was written to and possibly received a letter on Monday apprising her of the execution on Tuesday.

Series of Bible Talks.

The young people of the Baptist Church have planned for a series of bible talks to be given by their pastor during July and August. The first of these will be given next Sunday evening. The outline to be used is as follows: One, The Bible, (a) Origin, (b) Composition, (c) Purpose; two, Knowing the Bible; three, Great Facts of the Bible; four, The First Importance; five, Job's Revelations; six, Our Duties, July 13, Conditions for Success in Practical Work of Touching Men. July 8, How to Lead a Man or Woman to Christ.

August 22, Dealing With Different Classes of Men.

The Society extends a cordial invitation to all who are interested in bible study to meet with them on these evenings at 6:30. In order to prevent interruption no one will be admitted to the room after the lesson is opened.

Lawn Social

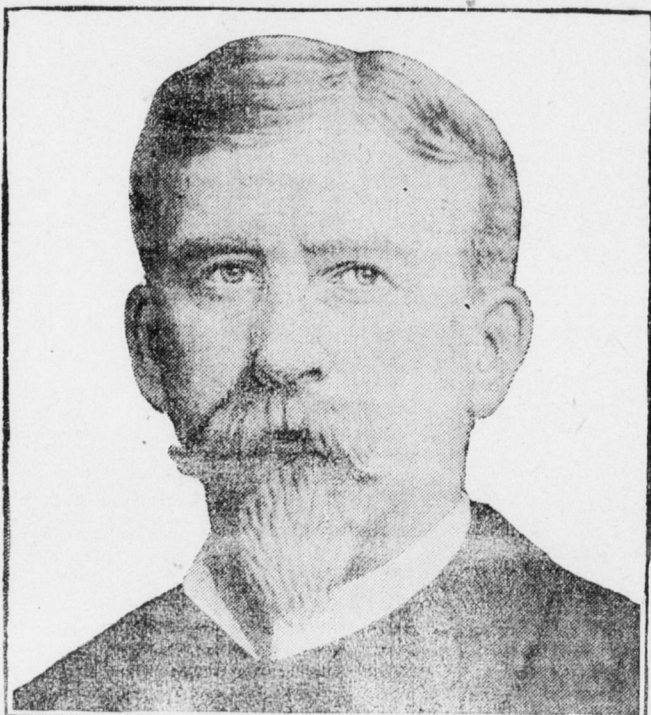
There will be a lawn social at E. J. Roger's, West Creek, Friday evening, July 24 for the benefit of M. E. Church. The public are cordially invited. 2t

Deer Brand Tomatoes, 3 cans for 25c, at C. B. Howard & Co's.



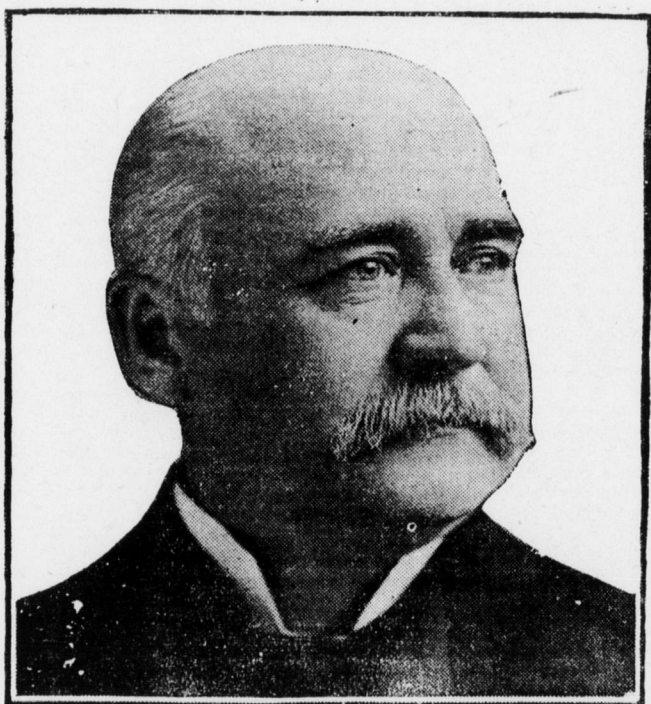
WILLIAM ALEXIS STONE—1899-1903.

William Alexis Stone was born on a Tioga county farm in 1846. When the civil war broke out he was too young to enlist; but, with several other boys, he ran away from home, and because of his unusual size he was permitted to enlist. His father demanded and obtained his discharge, but a few months later he became a private in Company A, One Hundred and Eighty-seventh Pennsylvania volunteers. In 1865 he was commissioned as second lieutenant. He was from 1871 to 1875 lieutenant colonel and assistant adjutant general of the Thirtieth division of the national guard. He was admitted to the bar in 1870 at Wellsboro. He took up his residence in Pittsburg in 1877 and from 1880 to 1886 was United States district attorney for the western district of Pennsylvania. He represented the Twenty-ninth district in congress from 1891 to 1898. He was elected governor in 1898 after a hard fought battle.



DANIEL HARTMAN HASTINGS—1895-1899.

Daniel Hartman Hastings was a schoolteacher before he was fifteen years of age and when still quite young became principal of the academy at Bellefonte and afterward was superintendent of schools. For some time he was editor of the Bellefonte Republican. He was admitted to the bar in 1875 and for thirteen years was in active practice. Becoming interested in 1888 in the coal mining business, he retired from his law practice. When General Beaver became governor he appointed Mr. Hastings adjutant general. General Hastings' services in behalf of the Johnstown flood sufferers will long be remembered. He made the speech nominating General Beaver for governor in 1886 and two years afterward made the speech nominating John Sherman for the presidency. Again in 1896 he made a speech nominating Matthew Stanley Quay for the presidency. General Hastings was defeated for the Republican nomination for governor in 1890, but in 1894 was nominated by a unanimous vote and elected.



EDWIN SYDNEY STUART—1907.

Edwin Sydney Stuart, the present chief executive of Pennsylvania, was born in Philadelphia Dec. 28, 1853, of Scotch-Irish parentage. At the age of fourteen he obtained a position as office boy in Leary's bookstore, Philadelphia. Governor Stuart always took a lively interest in politics. He served two terms as president of the Republican State League, in 1888 and 1890. As a candidate for presidential elector in the Blaine campaign of 1884 he had the highest vote on the ticket. Four years afterward he was a delegate to the national convention which nominated Benjamin Harrison. In 1893 he was elected mayor of Philadelphia by the largest majority ever given mayoralty candidate. He was elected governor in November, 1906.

Chronic Rheumatism.

This is the variety of rheumatism that usually attacks the larger joints, knees, hips and shoulders. It is aggravated by cold and damp weather, and for this reason a man afflicted with it can often foretell changes in the weather. Chamberlain's Liniment applied freely and with vigorous rubbing relieves the pain and makes sleep and rest possible. It will also effect a cure, but will not prevent the recurrence of the disease. For sale by Taggart.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills will instantly allay all troubles of the Kidney and Bladder, and will stop the pain caused by these disordered organs. Sold by all druggists.

Sore Nipples.

Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that a cure may be effected by applying Chamberlain's Salve as soon as the child is done nursing. Wipe it off with a soft cloth before allowing the babe to nurse. Many trained nurses use this salve with best results. For sale by Taggart.

Every teaspoonful of Kodol will digest 24 pounds of any food that you would ordinarily eat. We want you to try Kodol to-day on our guarantee. Your money will be refunded if Kodol fails. It is sold here by all druggists.

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Many remarkable cures of stomach troubles have been effected by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One man who had spent over two thousand dollars for medicine and treatment was cured by a few boxes of these tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at Taggart's drug store.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers—small, gentle, pleasant, little liver pills. Sold by all druggists.

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Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops chronic coughs that weaken the constitution, develop into consumption, but heals and strengthens the lungs. It affords comfort and relief in the worst cases of chronic bronchitis, asthma, hay fever and lung trouble. Sold by all druggists.

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I can supply you with the best paint on the market and pure white lead. Would be pleased to show you the latest things in wall paper. All labor and material guaranteed just as represented. S-tt.

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Rev. J. M. Robertson is spending a few days with relatives at Warren.

H. L. Crispin, of DuBois, was a business caller at this place, the last of the week.

H. H. Burdick, of Pittsburg, is guest of his sister, Mrs. J. B. Meisel, for a few days.

Miss Alicia Swain, of Olean, is guest at the home of F. P. Rentz and family, on West Fourth street.

Dr. E. O. Bardwell who has been the guest of relatives at Brever, Missouri, has returned to this place.

D. H. Robertson, and L. H. Bruner, of Calder, were business callers at the county seat last Saturday.

Chester Moore, of Howard, Pa., called on friends at this place last Sunday, and was guest of the New Warner.

Mrs. Sterner and sister, Mrs. Richards, who spent a few weeks at Austin, returned to Emporium last Saturday.

Mrs. E. B. Bloom, of Williamsport, is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Ellis and family, on West Fourth street.

Ernest Crouth, of Coudersport, was guest at the home of Bennet Lentz and family, on Second street, last Sunday.

Gordan Beattie and "Dick" Hughes, of this place, called on friends at Eldred last Sunday. They had a good time, and got back the same day.

Mrs. A. McInnes, Sr., who has been visiting friends at this place for several weeks, returned to her home at Corry on Monday.

Harry Foster and wife, of St. Marys, are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Foster and family on Fifth street.

Mrs. Fred Seger, who has been visiting relatives at Pittsburg and other points west, returned to her home in this place last Sunday.

Misses Charlotte and Anna Rentz, who spent a few weeks at Olean, returned home last Saturday, in time for the circus.

Frank Andrews and family, of Coudersport, are guests of Arch F. Andrews and family and H. C. Olmsted and family.

Raymond Andrews, was a visitor at this place the last of the week, en route to Galmoran, W. Va., where his parents reside.

Mrs. Lora Erhart and son Will, of Austin, were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hackenberg, on Fifth street.

Warner Judd departed for Frankford, Mich., last Monday afternoon, via Chicago, where he will spend the summer, returning home in time for school.

Miss Marion Rentz, accompanied by her cousin Miss Grace Rentz, of Muncy, started for Wichita, Kansas, on Monday where they expect to remain until next October.

Mr. Henry Fisher, of Driftwood, came up on Tuesday to witness the hanging. Mr. F., is a veteran of the civil war. He met many of our citizens while visiting in town.

Miss Caroline Cox, of Emporium, is the guest of Miss Elaine Havens.... Mrs. H. D. Burlingame and son Gayle, of Altoona, Pa., are guests of Mrs. J. M. Chapman.—Olean Times.

Mrs. J. T. Philips, of Scranton, Pa., who has been the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hadfield, left today for Emporium, where she will make a short visit before returning home.—Kane Republican.

Godfrey W. Howard, wife and little son, and Miss Ida Rothfuss, of Williamsport, are guests at the home of the former's grand-mother, Mrs. M. A. Rockwell and family, on Fourth street.

Floyd Felt was in Emporium for a few hours last Tuesday.

Prof. Fisk's Juvenile band will hold a picnic at Slazerville on July 9th.

Miss Ella McCarthy, of this place, spent Wednesday with friends at Kane. Will Dalrymple, of this place, is visiting relatives at Shinglehouse, for a few weeks.

Harry Caskey, editor of Austin Autograph, took in the execution on Tuesday.

Mrs. P. M. Meade and Mrs. Arthur Barclay of Sinnamahoning, passed Tuesday in town.

William Merry, of Seio, N. Y., is the guest of his son, W. J. Merry and wife on Sixth street.

Dr. H. S. Falk has purchased a new Ford auto and will hereafter enjoy life to its fullest extent.

W. W. Wykoff, C. E. Logue and L. C. Wykoff of First Fork, witnessed the hanging of Joe Pagano, Tuesday.

Miss Frances Gertrude Smith, of Olean, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Alfretha E. Hackett, at East Emporium.

Robert Dryberg, of Arnot, Pa., was a guest of his brother Arthur Dryberg, on Broad street, the first of the week.

Misses Abbie and Grace Metzger and Harold Day have returned to their homes at this place from Starkey, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. George Converse have returned home, after spending a few weeks with relatives at Granby, Missouri.

Lee W. Felt departed this morning for the Assembly Grounds on Chautauqua Lake, where he will study during the summer months.

Mrs. Myrtle Alabaugh, of Columbus, O., daughter of W. D. McNarney, is guest of her uncle J. P. McNarney and family, West Fourth street.

Misses Elta and Minnie Fetter, of Shintown, Pa., are guests of relatives at this place. The Misses Fetter are en route to Missouri.

Miss Jean McNarney went to Coudersport this morning, where she will visit friends until after the ever Glorious.

Mrs. C. H. Felt departed for Buffalo this morning and after spending a few days there will go to Chautauqua Assembly where she will spend the summer.

Edward Hilliard, of Watsonstown, visited in town last Friday evening guest of Mr. H. Auchu and family. Ed. is in the brick business at Watson town and doing a prosperous business.

Hon. Josiah Howard, accompanied by his wife and daughter Josephine, returned yesterday from Westboro, Wis., where Mr. Howard was looking after business interests.

Stephen Cannon and bride of St. Marys, registered at City hotel yesterday, while enroute for eastern points. The groom formerly resided in Emporium and is an excellent young man. Good luck to both is the wish of the Press.

Dr. E. O. Bardwell, returned last Friday from his western trip. Dr. Bardwell is here to stay and is nicely located in the Rockwell block. Entrance same as to Dr. Felt's Dental parlors. Office entirely separate and private. Hours: 8:00 a. m., 1:00 to 3:00 and 7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

Joseph M. Butler and wife, Chas. Schultz and P. J. Rogan came over from Port Allegany last Tuesday morning in Mr. Butler's touring car, making the run in one hour and fifteen minutes. The men of the party witnessed the execution. After partaking of dinner at the Commercial hotel they returned home in good order.

Geo. W. Huntley, Jr., of Covington, Va., who was called to Driftwood on account of the injuries, his father met with, came to Emporium on Tuesday and witnessed the execution of Joe Pagano. Mr. Huntley was a Press visitor and we in common with all of our citizens, were glad to meet him. Come back to Cameron county George and be with your friends.

NOTES OF INTEREST.

Fireworks galore, at Meisel's. Largest and best variety of fireworks in town at Meisel's.

Pure Maple Sugar and Syrup, at C. B. Howard & Co's.

The strawberry crop is very heavy in Delaware and the shipments are very large. The crop being larger than for years, the prices should come down, but will they? Nil.

The grand jury in Pittsburg has indicted E. B. Saylor, former superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Company; Isaac N. Barto, wire chief, and W. L. Thompson and W. H. Smith, brokers, as wire tappers.

Death of Senator Crawford.

Hon. John W. Crawford, of Allegany county, died yesterday, after effects of an operation for appendicitis. Senator Crawford was one of the leading candidates for Auditor General at the last Republican State Convention.

The Model Army of the World.

What army was the strongest of its time? Judging by results, the Roman army was so from the fifth century B. C. onward until the division of the empire. Its fighting organization was as complete as and possibly more practical than that of any army of today. It was based on a territorial system which maintained the comradeship of locality without bringing it into antagonism with that of the corps, for each of the thirty-five Roman "tribes" was required to furnish to each legion four "centuries" of 120 men, each of which worked together as a local unit. The legion was divided into five cohorts or battalions, of which three were troops of the line, two were a kind of militia and the fifth was a depot battalion. For almost eight centuries the army thus constituted not only conquered the then known world, but acted as explorers beyond its limits and at the same time made and unmade kings and emperors in Rome itself.—Pearson's Weekly.

The Loafer.

"Does the new office boy loaf or make mischief?"
"Loafs."
"Discharge him. We can direct a mischievous lad's efforts into some useful channel, but we can't do anything with a loafer."—Buffalo Express

Bobby's Query.

"Father," asked little Bobby, "had Solomon 700 wives?"
"I believe so, my boy," said the father.
"Well, father, was he the man who said, 'Give me liberty or give me death?'"—Royal Magazine.

Men must sail while the wind serveth.—Dutch Proverb.

Exclusive.

Mabel—I seldom see the handsome young Mr. Richerly. He doesn't appear to care much for society. Ethel—Oh, I don't know! He seems to want my society about six evenings in the week.—Chicago Tribune.

Your Own Way.

"It takes a heap o' determination, son," said Uncle Eben, "to hav yuh own way in dis life an' a heap o' brains to know what to do wif it after you gits it."—Washington Star.

A Wireless Operator.

Uppson—You have a new baby at your house, I hear. Downing—Great guns! And we live four miles apart! I had no idea any one could hear him that distance.—Judge.

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JUNE 23rd, 1909.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$139,460 63	Capital stock paid in.....	\$100,000 00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	212 77	Surplus fund.....	100,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	100,000 00	Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	8,353 66
Other Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits.....	10,000 00	National Bank notes outstanding.....	98,197 50
Premiums on U. S. Bonds.....	4,500 00	Due to other National Banks.....	1,591 99
Bonds, securities, etc.....	105,405 60	Dividends unpaid.....	60 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....	19,000 00	Individual deposits subject to check.....	\$406,714 33
Other real estate owned.....	4,000 00	Time certificates of deposits.....	50,583 94
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Cos and Savings Banks.....	471 49	Certified checks.....	83 56
Due from approved reserve agents.....	54,519 41	Cashier's checks outstanding.....	4,193 75
Checks and other cash items.....	68 56	United States Deposits.....	10,000 00
Notes of other National Banks.....	2,515 00		\$471,585 58
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.....	201 95		
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK: Specie.....	\$35,285 15		
Legal-tender notes.....	2,570 00		
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, 5 per cent. of circulation.....	1,600 00		
Total.....	\$779,788 73		\$779,788 73

State of Pennsylvania, County of Cameron, SS—I, T. B. Lloyd, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of June 1909.
JAY P. FELT, Notary Public.
My Commission expires Feb. 2, 1910.

CORRECT—Attest:

W. S. WALKER,
N. SEGER,
JNO. E. SMITH,

Directors.

An Appeal.

MR. EDITOR:—Please allow me space in your valuable paper to say a word about the Rev. Z. A. Jones, B. D., and the Friendship College of Rock Hill, that he is representing. Rev. Z. A. Jones has greatly aided our school by traveling in your state and elsewhere and laying our needs before kind friends, who have greatly assisted us per him. This school was formed by the colored people of upper S. C., in the year of 1891, with the present management at its head. Our annual enrollment is something over three hundred, and would be five hundred if we had enough room. We have sent out more than two hundred teachers and more than one hundred preachers. We own and operate a small farm and printing office. The work of each is done by student labor. The State Board of Education, of which the Governor is chairman, has placed our school on the list of accredited colleges; our diplomas are therefore recognized in granting teachers certificates. We wish to erect a large building, the fall and we are praying that God may raise up friends to help us to fight our battles. Any amount that any friend will give will greatly assist us and be gratefully received. Rev. M. F. Forbell, of Sunbury, Pa., has visited our school. I am your obedient servant,
M. P. HALL,
President of Friendship College, Rock Hill, S. C.

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Pet Grove.....	1 90
Graham.....	95
Rye.....	75
Patent Meal.....	55
Buckwheat Flour.....	85
Buckwheat Flour, 10lb sack.....	35
Coarse Meal per 100.....	1 70
Chop Feed.....	1 70
Matchless Egg Maker, per 100.....	2 10
Sylva Chick Feed, per 100.....	2 10
Cracked Corn per 100.....	1 70
Screenings.....	1 70
Chicken Wheat.....	2 15
Oil Meal.....	1 90
Middlings.....	1 70
White Middlings.....	1 75
Bran.....	1 60
Corn per bushel.....	95
Oyster Shells, per 100.....	75
White Oats, per bushel.....	68
Seed Oats per bushel.....	70
Buckwheat.....	70
Choice Clover Seed.....	At Market Prices
Choice Timothy Seed.....	
Choice Millet Seed.....	

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Some disinfectants and germicides might be classed as drugs but, you do not want to be drugged just now with a bug killer. However, now is the time to think of getting after the rose bugs and currant worms.

We have a full line of the "remedies" for that class of pests. Also a non-poisonous bed bug exterminator in small cans.

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Take advantage this hot weather of the ready to eat things to be found in the stock of the Day Grocery store, buy the ready to serve things.

Sliced Cooked Ham, 35c a lb.

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Buy just what you want with no waste.

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Offer this Week Friday and Saturday

Sugar—25lb Bag best granulated Sugar, \$1.45
Spring Brook Creamery Butter 30c lb. Best butter obtainable.
Messina Lemons, extra fine, the dozen 20c. Buy enough to last over the Fourth of July.
25c bottle Hire's Root Beer Extract 20c
25c Bottle Heinz sour spiced Gherkins 22c.
All 50c quality Tea, at the 1b 40c.
Hamburg brand, selected Apples, gallon cans 30c
Walter Baker & Co's Chocolate 40c lb.
3 lbs choice Carolina Head Rice 25c.
7 cakes Acme Soap for 25c.
California Lima Beans, very choice, a lb. 8c.
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The LaReine Corset

There will be many hot days this summer and very likely you may sit around at perfect ease without wearing a corset during many of them but just the same there will be some days when a corset becomes obligatory and if you happen to have a LaRein No. 971 which means a garment of batiste but with enough ventilation to make it as cool as can be desired, you certainly will not be so reluctant to dress for such occasions as might otherwise be the case.

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SYNOPSIS.

At 14 years of age Admiral Sir Peter Hawkshaw's nephew Richard Glyn, fell deeply in love at first sight with Lady Arabella Stormont, who spurned his attentions. The lad, an orphan, was given a berth as midshipman on the Ajax by his uncle. Giles Vernon, nephew of Sir Thomas Vernon, became the boy's pal. They attended a theater where Hawkshaw's nephew saw Lady Arabella. Vernon met Philip Overton, next in line for Sir Thomas Vernon's estate. They started a duel which was interrupted. Vernon, Overton and Hawkshaw's nephew found themselves attracted by pretty Lady Arabella. The Ajax in battle defeated French warships in the Mediterranean. Richard Glyn got £2,000 prize money. He was called home by Lady Hawkshaw as he was about to "blow in" his earnings with Vernon. At a Hawkshaw party Glyn discovered that Lady Arabella was a poor but persistent gambler. He talked much with her cousin Daphne. Lady Arabella again showed love for gaming. Later she held Glyn and Overton prisoners, thus delaying the duel. In the Overton-Vernon duel, neither was hurt. Lady Arabella humiliated Richard by her pranks. Richard and Giles shipped on a frigate. Giles was captured by the French. Sir Peter arranged for his exchange. Daphne showed a liking for Glyn, who was then 21 years of age. Giles was released. Giles and Richard planned elopements.

CHAPTER VII.—Continued.
I was so staggered by having the words taken out of my mouth, that I could only gaze and stare at her. To render my confusion worse, she added: "And you want to marry Daphne?" "I can not deny it, madam," I managed to say.

"Will you ring the bell?" she asked. I rang the bell like a church warden, and the footman came, and Lady Hawkshaw immediately sent him for Sir Peter.

I think my courage would wholly have given out at that, except for a glimpse of Daphne, flitting up the stairs. The dear girl wished to give me heart, so she told me afterward.

Sir Peter appeared, and was greeted by Lady Hawkshaw as follows:

"Sir Peter, here is Richard Glyn wanting to marry Daphne. He has but £2,000; but she might go farther and fare worse."

Sir Peter literally glared at me. He gasped once or twice, then broke out in a torrent.

"He wants to marry my ward, does he—my ward, with £20,000 in her own right! I wonder, damme, he didn't propose to marry Arabella, too. Young gentleman, you are too modest. Heiresses in England go about hunting for poor lieutenants to marry. I suppose you think it would be a fine stroke for me to marry my ward to my nephew! Ha, ha! Ho, ho!"

His laughter was demoniac. "Sir Peter," said Lady Hawkshaw, severely—for I remained mute—"I am astonished at your violence and unreason. Did you never hear of an heiress—and a fine, handsome girl, too, with many accomplishments, and of a great family—marrying a poor lieutenant without a penny, and without an ancestor?"

"By Jupiter, I never did!" roared Sir Peter.

"Then, Sir Peter," cried Lady Hawkshaw, rising with awful dignity, "you forget all about Lieut. Peter Hawkshaw and the Honorable Apollonia Jane Howard."

At this Sir Peter fairly wilted for a few moments; and I heard something strangely like a tittering in the next room.

But Sir Peter presently recovered himself in a measure.

"But—but—there are lieutenants and lieutenants, madam. I was considered a man likely to rise. And, besides, if I remember rightly, I was not an ill-looking fellow, madam."

"Sir Peter, you were no taller than you are now—five feet four inches. Your hair was red, and you were far from handsome. Richard Glyn is as good-looking as you ever were in your life; and he has already made his mark. Richard Glyn," turning to me, "you are at liberty to marry Daphne Carmichael."

"Richard Glyn," bawled Sir Peter, "if you dare to think you are going to marry Daphne Carmichael—mind, I say, if the thought ever enters your damned head—it will be as much as your life is worth! I am going, this moment, to the first lord of the admiralty, to see if I can't have you sent to the West Indies, or the Gold Coast, with my best wishes and endeavors to keep you there for ten years at least."

"And what will you do with me, dear Uncle Peter?" suddenly asked a soft voice; and Daphne, who had stolen into the room (she must have been very near), stood before him, and nestled her pretty head against his shoulder.

Sir Peter was too astonished for a moment or two to speak. The whole thing had fallen upon him like the shock of an earthquake. But in a lit-

tle while he recovered his voice, and all of his voice, too; he shouted as if he were on the bridge of the Ajax, with a whole gale blowing and the enemy in sight.

"Do!" he shrieked. "What shall I do? Bread and water, miss, for six months! Discipline, miss!" And much more of the same sort.

This roused Lady Hawkshaw to take our part. She shouted back at Sir Peter, and I, not to be outdone, shouted that Daphne was mine, and I was hers, as long as life should last; and presently Sir Peter flung out, in a royal rage, and Lady Hawkshaw flung after him; and Daphne sank, in tears, on my shoulder, and I kissed her a hundred times, and comforted her. But I knew Sir Peter was a determined man in some respects; and I felt assured he would shortly carry out his threat to send me to sea, and, once at sea, it might be years before I should again set foot in England. Scotland, then, sounded sweetly in our ears. I found, in truth, that when it came actually to going off, Daphne's romantic willingness changed to a natural hesitation at so bold a step. But the near prospect of going to the Bellona turned the scale in my favor, and I won from her a sort of oblique consent. And another thing seemed to play directly into our hands. Sir Peter had business at Scarborough, which might detain him some time; and, although it was late in the autumn, he determined to take his family with him. I believe it was by way of separating Daphne and me that he came to the decision. Lady Hawkshaw was to go, and his two wards; and they were to remain a month. This was so obviously showing us the road across the border that I told my sweet Daphne plainly I should carry her off; at which she wept more, and protested less, than I had yet seen her.

In the whole affair, I had counted upon the assistance of Giles Vernon; and on the very night the party left for Scarborough, after a tearful farewell between Daphne and me, I went to Giles' lodgings, to make a clean breast of it.

Giles' voice called me upstairs; and when I reached his room, there, spread out on the bed, I saw a beautiful suit of brown and silver.

"Do you see that?" cried Giles. "That is my wedding suit. For it I



"That is My Wedding Suit."

spent fifty of the last £100 I had in the world, and it is to marry Lady Arabella Stormont that I bought it."

I thought he was crazy, but I soon perceived there was method in his madness. He told me seriously enough that he meant to carry off Lady Arabella Stormont from Scarborough.

"But—but—she does not like you," I said, hesitating and amazed.

"We shall see about that, my lad," he said, and then began to tell me of what he thought a great change in his favor with Arabella. He put many trifling things which I had not noted in such a light that under his eloquent persuasion I began to believe Lady Arabella really might have a secret weakness for him which pride prevented her from discovering. He had never failed to win any woman's regard yet; and it had always seemed a miracle to me, Richard Glyn, who had fallen under his spell so many years ago, how anybody could resist him. He wound up his argument by saying, in his usual confident manner:

"Trust me, there is something compelling in the love I feel for Arabella. Women are all alike, my boy. They want a master. Once put the bit in their mouths, and they adore you for it. Let me have the spirit to run away with that adorable creature, and see how quickly she will come to my call. You will shortly see her clinging to me like peaches to a southern wall."

"And her fortune?"

"She is none the worse for that. But I swear to you, Dicky Glyn, that I would carry her off as the Romans did the Sabine maiden, if she had not a shilling"—which I believed to be true; for his was an infatuation which takes account of nothing.

He then began to tell me of his plans, and in them he showed his usual shrewdness and boldness. The trip to Scarborough had put Scotland in his head. He was likely to be sent to sea any day, to be gone, perhaps, for years; just the arguments I had used to myself first and to Daphne afterward.

I remembered that scene five years before, with Overton and Lady Arabella in Sir Peter's study-hole; and the memory of it made me think with dread of Giles Vernon's marrying Arabella. But I could not speak openly; and, after all, she was so strange a creature that one could scarcely judge her by the standard of other women. And then the plan I had to

confide to him very effectually withdrew the charges of any battery I might have brought to bear on him.

When he had finished his tale, and I had told him mine, Giles was in an ecstasy. He laughed in his uproarious good humor.

"Oh, you sly dog!" he shouted. "So you are up to the same game!"

I explained that I had not much to fear. Daphne was undoubtedly fond of me, and Lady Hawkshaw being on our side, and other reasons in our favor—all of which fitted Giles' case exactly. And at last I gave up, in sheer despair, and agreed to Giles' suggestion that we should together carry off the two damsels of our hearts and then and there we made our plans, sitting up until the gray dawn came.

Oh, the madness of it; the wildness of it! But we were two dare-devil and happy-go-lucky lieutenants, without the prudence of landmen. We loved, and we were liable at any moment to be torn away for many years from the idols of our hearts. Runaway marriages were common; and only the parents and guardians were offended in those cases, and forgiveness generally followed. We were about to commit a great folly; but we thought we were nobly sustaining the reputation of his majesty's sea officers for our spirit and gallantry with the fair sex, and looked not to the dreadful consequences of our desperate adventure.

CHAPTER VIII.

Giles Vernon and I agreed that it was necessary we should strike the blow as soon as possible, while we had the weather-gage, so to speak, of Sir Peter; and on the day after his traveling chariot took its way north a very plain post-chaise followed it, and in it were Giles Vernon and myself.

Giles was in a state of the wildest happiness conceivable. There is something appalling in that fervor of mind when the human creature, forgetting all the vicissitudes of this life, treads on air and breathes and lives in heaven. Thus I was made sad by his gladness, but I dared not show it, lest it be mistaken for a want of spirit in our enterprise, so I joined with him in his joy and revelry.

We reached Scarborough at four o'clock in the afternoon, and put up at a small inn on the outskirts of the town, and some little way on the road to the north. We sallied forth immediately to find out something about our inamoratas, and Fate—whether it was that kindly goddess who leads our footsteps toward those we love, or whether it was the cruel Destiny which delights in torturing men—at once directed us. We were walking along near the playhouse, which had been lately opened in the town, when we saw James, Lady Hawkshaw's own footman, go inside the playhouse and buy some tickets of the man at the door. As soon as he was well out of the way I sneaked in, and, thrusting two shillings into the man's hand, inquired if Sir Peter and Lady Hawkshaw and the young ladies would favor the performance that night. The man grinned and showed me a slip of paper, on which was written in Lady Hawkshaw's bold hand: "Three stalls for Lady Hawkshaw and party."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

WORLD'S MOST EXCLUSIVE CLUB.

English Joy That There Is One Door Riches Won't Unlock.

The Royal Yacht Squadron is probably the most exclusive club in existence, says the Gentlewoman, and wonderful to relate in this plutocratic age money is quite powerless to unlock the charmed portals of the castle.

One or two millionaires with splendid yachts have tried in vain to pass the ordeal of the periodical ballot, while men of no fortune or only just enough to defray the upkeep of a small yacht have been elected without an idea of a blackball.

The only apparent qualification is that the candidate must possess a yacht of his own; but there are other qualifications much more difficult of attainment by the man of money, and it is just here that the question of blackballing comes in, it must be owned, rather refreshingly.

For really one had almost said that there is no social "holiness" into which he who is rich cannot penetrate, until one recalls the pleasant circle of gentlemen who go to make up the Royal Yacht Squadron. There is, one remembers gratefully, just one institution left to which the mystic words "I am rich" do not have the effect of an "open sesame."

Establishing the Plural.

Fred, who was four years old, visited his uncle on the farm. When he came home his father asked him what had pleased him the most.

"O, I liked the geese. I had such fun chasing them, and we had a great big goose for dinner one day!"

"Well," said his father, "how can you tell the difference between a goose and geese?"

"Aw, that's easy," said Fred. "One geese is a goose and two geese is geese."

Camels and Campbells.

An Irishman and a Scotchman were discussing the horrors of living in a prohibition state, when the Irishman remarked:

"Sure, an' you might get used to it after awhile. Ye know they say a camel can go eight days without drinkin'."

"Hoot, mon!" retorted the other, "it's little ye know about the Campbells when ye say that. There is no one o' them could go eight hours w/out a drop o' something!"

Which ended the discussion.

Pennsylvania Happenings

Pittsburg.—At a meeting of the Pittsburg Single Tax Association it was decided to celebrate the birthday of Henry George on Sept. 3 by a supper.

Pottstown.—Notice was posted in the Stanley G. Flagg plant at Stowe announcing a general increase of 10 per cent in the wages of the employees of that plant, to take effect July 7. The increase will effect all of the hands of the plant, both skilled and unskilled labor.

Altoona.—The United States army recruiting office, after being closed since last February, was reopened in the federal building. The enlistments wanted are for coast and artillery service. Recruits are wanted for several negro regiments in the army.

Philadelphia.—Science and surgery may restore sight to the eyes of little Katherine Frick, the deaf, dumb and sightless ward of the state, who is being educated at the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb at Mount Airy. Dr. W. T. Shoemaker, noted oculist and surgeon, will remove a cataract from the child's right eye, and by doing this he hopes to give her partial vision.

Philadelphia.—John Dermond is a wonder to the medical world. Five years ago he was badly injured when a steer fell upon his head from a runaway in the local yards of Armour & Co. His head was driven down between his shoulders, breaking his neck. His skull was fractured and his shoulders dislocated and five ribs, one arm and both legs broken and severely injured internally. But notwithstanding all these injuries, he is to-day well and able to walk.

Williamsport.—One of the saddest funerals ever held here was that of Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Munro, the young bridal couple who were found dead together in their room, both having died of heart disease. The same minister who 11 days after officiating at their wedding ceremony conducted their double funeral and the pallbearers for Mrs. Munro were the groomsmen and ushers at the wedding. The pallbearers for Mr. Munro were clerks from the office in which he was employed.

Pittsburg.—The largest single contract for railroad equipment ever placed in the United States, involving from \$20,000,000 to \$35,000,000, will be awarded by the Pennsylvania railroad company within the next ten days. Most of these cars will be built in the Pittsburg district, and thousands of mechanics will be assured steady employment for many months. President McCrea and other officials of the Pennsylvania have authorized the purchase of the new rolling stock, and it is understood that the large car-building concerns have already been notified of the number of cars to be built at their plants.

Pittsburg.—By an expenditure of \$7,000,000, the New York Central will gain a direct connection between Pittsburg and New York, the route being but a trifle longer than that of the Pennsylvania and much shorter than the Baltimore & Ohio. It is announced that the right of way has been secured and all surveys made for a line of 70 miles connecting Clymer, Pa., with Port Vue, Pa. The former point is on the Clearfield branch of the New York Central and the latter on the Pittsburg, McKeesport & Youngstown branch of the New York Central. Aside from giving the direct outlet to the East, the New York Central people figure on a great relief from the congestion which has for years been on the Pittsburg & Lake Erie end of the New York Central here.

Uniontown.—Chief Roderick announced assignments for state mine inspectors for the ensuing year. Of 35 who passed the examination 21 were appointed. Several inspectors were transferred—Alex McCaneh, from Scottsdale to Monongahela City; T. D. Williams, from Connellsville to Johnstown; Arthur Neale, from Fayette City to Crafton; Daniel Blower, from Johnstown to Scottdale; David Young, from Brownsville to Freeport; William Howarth, from Monongahela City to Brownsville, and Thomas Lowther, from Somerset to Tyrone. Appointments for the 21 districts follow: Alex McCaneh, C. B. Ross, T. K. Adams, Elias Phillips, Isaac G. Roby, T. D. Williams, Arthur Neale, Joseph Knepper, T. J. Walsh, Joseph Williams, Daniel Blower, Roger Hampson, John T. Bell, David Young, Alex Monteith, William Howarth, John I. Pratt, Thomas Lowther, Charles T. McGregor, Nicholas Evans, F. W. Cunningham.

Harrisburg.—Gov. Stuart signed the pardon of James B. Gentry, the actor, who has been in the eastern penitentiary for 14 years for the murder of his sweetheart, Madge Yorke.

Pittsburg.—Owing to kindness and beneficence shown toward a friendless woman years ago Margaret Jane Conrad is now heir to \$22,000 left her by Mrs. Anna Adams, who died recently in Jersey City. Mayor Magee received a letter from B. A. Allison, Jersey City, asking for aid in locating the Conrad woman.

WERE BOTH OF MIXED BLOOD

Points of Resemblance Between Englishman and Cowboy, as the Latter Understood It.

"The countess de Pourtales was a New York Lorillard," said a New York tobaccoist. "So on both sides, of course, she has blue blood. Yet she is without false pride."

"At a recent tobacco men's convention a director told me of a remark the countess made in Biarritz to an arrogant Englishman."

"This fellow boasted of his ancestry. The countess said that sort of talk wouldn't be understood in the wild west. She said an Englishman said to a Texas cowboy once:

"I have Tudor blood in my veins on the maternal side and through my father's family I am a Plantaganet."

"Is that so?" said the cowboy, brightening with keen interest. "My blood's a little mixed, too. My grandfather was a Jersey tenderfoot and my grandmother a Digger Indian squaw. We're both half-breeds, stranger. Come and liquor up!"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

NERVE.



"Excuse me, can I speak to your typewriter a moment?"

"You cannot; she's engaged."

"That's all right; I'm the fellow she's engaged to."

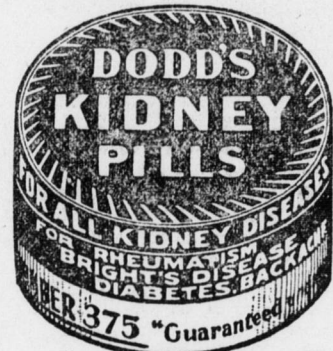
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Breezy County News

HUNTLEY.

W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium.
W. W. Wylie transacted business in Driftwood on Friday.

C. W. Barr, of Tunnel Hill, was a pleasant caller in town Thursday.

Audrey Lord, of Mix Run, spent several days with A. W. Smith and sister at the Willowdale mansion.

Whiting Bros., of Sterling Run, passed through here with a fine fleet of logs, consigned to the Smith & Logue saw mill.

Herman Jones, of Tunnel Hill, called on B. J. Collins, Wednesday.

B. J. Collins and C. J. Miller attended the funeral of the oldest son of Walter Barr, at Hicks Run Thursday.

Rev. Hall, of Castle Garden, preached a very able sermon to the people of Huntley Sunday, in the old church.

Frieda Collins was an Emporium caller Saturday.

W. R. Smith and son Robert, transacted business in Emporium Saturday.

Clarence Johnson took in the show at Renovo Friday.

Mrs. G. S. Hill, of Grove Hill, called on friends in town Saturday.

Mrs. W. R. Smith and children called on her sister, Mrs. Wm. Wheaton, of Sinnamahoning, this week.

The Huntley Sporting Club pitched their tent in Tanglefoot Run Sunday for an outing. All reported a pleasant time.

W. W. Johnson, Walter Logue and Lewis Smith took in the show at Emporium Saturday evening.

Our boys and girls say their mouths have begun to water for the expected chocolate drops and ten cent cigars which they are looking for soon when the new wedding comes off.

L. H. Smith had the luck to have a fine swarm of bees on Sunday, which came and lit on an apple tree near the house. The Taft boom is on sure.

G. S. Hill was seen on our streets Sunday with his new driving team.

Gladys and Carry Hill, of Grove Hill, called on friends in town Saturday and also took in the show at Emporium.

B. S.

STERLING RUN.

W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium.
W. A. Fish, of Anabonmink, is the guest of his niece, Mrs. John Neenan.

Mabel Reid, of Renovo, is visiting her grand-mother, Mrs. Margaret Mason.

Mabel Wylie left Monday for South Bend, Wash., where she will spend the summer with her brother Herman.

Minnie Losey, of Mina, visited friends in town the past week.

Mrs. John Floyd and children, of Renovo, were the guests of her parents, A. L. Barr and wife over Sunday.

Mrs. Nancy Russell, who has been ill for some time, died June 25th; interment at Sterling Run cemetery. Rev. J. F. Anderson, of Emporium, officiating. She was well known in this vicinity, having lived on Chapman Hill for 30 years. She was in her 56 year; leaves two sons and two daughters—Oliver, of Byrnedale; Mrs. Anna Goodyear, of Munson Station; Mrs. Nancy Luwellyn, of Weedville, and Frank at home. Funeral director Chas. W. Rishell, of Emporium, had charge of the funeral.

Mrs. Laura A. Smith left Wednesday for a week's visit at Elmira.

Wm. Bagley visited friends and relatives in St. Marys this week.

Mrs. Eva Foster left Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. Riggs and family, at Savannah, Ga.

J. H. Darrin, Joseph Kissell and Wm. Berry witnessed the hanging of Joe Pagano on June 29th.

Mrs. Dessie Mitchell and children, of Williamsport, visited relatives in town the past week.

Mabel Buchanan, of Sinnamahoning, was the guest of Ruth Zoella Mason on Friday.

Mrs. Mabel Cruikshank, of Emporium, visited her cousin, Mrs. A. A. Smith Friday.

Margaret Mix, of Hicks Run, is guest of Rev. Ebersole and family.

S. G. Howlett and wife returned home Sunday from a short visit with the latter's parents at Hicks Run.

The "Rainy Day Pie-niers" were not out to "Indian Rock" this week, but we hear that the "Sunny Days" expect to go out next week. Particulars later.

Mrs. C. A. Swartz and children, of Sinnamahoning, visited her parents, W. E. Devling and wife the past week.

The base ball boys will hold an ice cream social in Brooks Hall, Saturday evening, July 3rd. Everybody come.

Joseph Furlong having finished the spring term at Lock Haven Normal, while enroute to his new home at Crafon spent Sunday with his many friends of this place.

James Swartz, of Kane, was in town Sunday.

Margaret Summerson was confined to the house the past week with rheumatism. Clarence Johnson who has been the

guest of his aunt, Mrs. P. H. Mason, for some time left for Weedville on Friday.

Mrs. Joseph Bruno and children visited relatives in Renovo several days the past week.

BLUE BELL.

SINNAMAHONING.

W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium.
J. T. Runyon and family, of Philadelphia, are spending their vacation with Rev. Runyon at this place.

Mrs. John Langdon and daughters, of Punxsutawney, visited Mrs. Matilda Wykoff and Mrs. Carrie Wykoff last week.

The family of Mr. Arner, the baker who died recently, has disposed of their household goods and gone with Mr. Arner's brother to Olean, N. Y.

Mrs. Jos. Kinsley and daughter are spending a few weeks visiting out of town relatives and friends.

Miss Georgia Drum, of Laquin, is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Russell.

Ethel Runyon spent several days last week at Driftwood, the guest of Rachel Brookbank.

Iva Crum has returned from Emporium, where she has been attending school.

Helen Conzil is home from Dickinson Seminary for the summer vacation.

Mrs. Frank Tice and daughter from Galeton visited Mrs. John Lytle last week.

Mrs. Arch DeShetler and daughter visited Fred Hanscom and wife this week.

Mrs. John Lighter has disposed of her household goods and will soon start to Washington State, to join Mr. Lighter.

Quite a number of our people attended the base ball games at Driftwood last Friday afternoon and evening, between the local team and the Cherokee Indians.

Mrs. Josephine Shirk is at Ridgway with her sister, Mrs. A. H. Shafer.

Louisa Ross is visiting at the home of T. E. Fulton.

Mrs. J. H. Fry is visiting her daughter Mrs. Fred Casey at Elizabethtown, Pa.

Dr. C. W. Gray has returned from a business trip in the south.

John Drivas is moving to Wylside. Lawrence Smith visited his parents at Westport last Sunday.

A number of people from here went to Renovo last Friday and to Emporium on Saturday to the circus.

Our Presiding Elder, Rev. Stevens will preach at the M. E. Church, Sinnamahoning, Sunday evening, July 4, at 7:30 p. m. The second quarterly conference will be held after the preaching service.

Minnie Losey is the guest of her grand-mother Mrs. M. A. Losey. She is on her way to Mina, where her parents are now located.

Mrs. A. T. Swartwood spent a few days in Emporium with her son and his family.

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SIZERVILLE.

H. W. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium.
Rile Prosser, P. R. R. Agent, is taking his annual vacation among the Thousand Islands, Toronto and Niagara Falls. H. Farnsworth looks after the agency business in his absence.

Conductor D. B. Morton is repainting his mansion. Lawrence Fisk is the decorator and we expect to see expert results. Harold Waddington is his able assistant.

The new school board was organized last week with J. Caton, President; P. Councilman, Treas.; W. R. Sizer, Sec'y. The new board does not find the situation the most agreeable, there being a dead lock in as to who the lucky teacher will be, there being three in the contest and no signs of any two giving in.

Hon. Walter Swetland and Postmaster Smith, of Coudersport, autored over to attend the execution and on their return home stopped off and filled up on the mineral waters. Ex-Sheriff King and others stopped and imbibed freely of the magnetic waters.

The Cemetery Association has erected a new fence and put in painted gates and made other notable improvements, which denotes that those gone before are not forgotten.

Hand bills are displayed around town advertising the celebration at Emporium, July 5th. We hear many expecting to join in the festivities, and enjoyable time will ensue.

On Saturday evening Joe Layton passed through here enroute for New York city on bicycle. On reaching the city he will have encircled the globe, having left New York, July 4th, 1906. If he arrives there at noon July 4th he will be handed \$5,000 for making trip. He has worn out five bicycles in the tour.

We note the large number of people who have landed here enroute for Gardau Springs. L. R. Kitelinger has been kept busy of late looking after the wants of his many guests from abroad. He will soon need to enlarge his model brick resort. The old historical springs are again being sought after.

Zip.

Have a few pounds of Prunes and can of Squash for 10c, at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Cedar Shingles \$4.50 per thousand at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Everybody from Driftwood, Sterling Run, Sinnamahoning, Cameron, Hicks Run, Huntley and the entire county is invited to Come to Emporium on July 5th

To help celebrate the Glorious Fourth at Keystone Park. Come early in the morning

The best attraction in the forenoon will be found at
Emporium's Largest and Finest Dry Goods Store

Unusual Bargains are offered in beautiful Wash Dress Goods, Millinery Suits, Embroideries, etc. The saving you will make on a single dress pattern will be enough to pay your entire expense for the day.

WE CLOSE PROMPTLY AT NOON. In the afternoon there will be a unique celebration of the Nation's birthday at Keystone Park. At one o'clock the Firemen, Boys' Brigade and other organizations, headed by Prof. Fisk's Juvenile Band will parade to the Park.

THE HUMAN FLAG represented by 108 of Emporium's pretty little maidens, will then be unfurled to the tune of the "Star Spangled Banner" and "America"

A fine Bedroom Set and many other valuable presents will be given to the BRIDE WHO CONSENTS TO BE MARRIED ON THIS OCCASION AT THE PARK.

Many games for which valuable prizes will be given to the winner will be played. There will be dancing in the Pavillion and a Base Ball Game. EMPORIUM vs OLEAN

R. KUEHNE, Emporium's Greatest Store

To Expend \$3,000,000.

The board of directors of the Pennsylvania railroad and the Northern Central railway have decided to build classification yards at Northumberland, and the contracts for the work of excavation and filling were awarded. It is said, at the offices in Broad street station, Philadelphia, last Tuesday, thirty prominent contractors of Philadelphia have been in Sunbury the past few days going over the ground. It is stated that practically all the necessary contracts will be let within the next few days.

Work will soon be started, if present plans are carried out, on the construction of yards that will be three miles in length, extending from Northumberland to Kappas. The yards will have a working capacity of four thousand cars, and a maximum of double that number. It is stated that about \$3,000,000 will be expended on the construction of the yards, which will be used for the classification of cars and the formation of trains that are hauled over the divisions radiating from Sunbury. These include the Williamsport, Lewisport and Sunbury divisions and the Bellefonte branch of the Pennsylvania railroad, and the Susquehanna and Sunbury divisions of the Northern Central railway.

What Northumberland will have, Emporium might have had, in fact the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., very much desired to secure a favorable location at or near Emporium. They were driven away. Shame!

John Robinson's Circus.

Emporium had a gay day last Saturday and was busy from morning until night. The opening features of the circus was a fine street parade in the morning. Shortly after dinner, a heavy rain storm prevented a large number from attending the show, but in spite of the inclement weather a large and appreciative audience witnessed the afternoon performance. Everything was conducted in a very orderly manner. The trained animals were all that could be expected, especially the elephants and seals. The acrobats and trapeze performers and the riders were exceptionally fine. The evening performance was not attended by a very large audience owing to the extremely hot night. Taken as a whole everybody who witnessed the show pronounced it good.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. It is good for anything where a salve is needed, but it is especially good for piles. Sold by all druggists.

Cows for Sale.

Several good fresh milk cows for sale; also plenty of cabbage plants, 25c per 100; \$1.50 per thousand. Apply at Climax Farm, Emporium, Pa.

S. M. VAN WERT.

The Jordan Re-Union.

The annual re-union of the Jordan family was held at Huntley, Saturday, June 19th, 1909. The day being a perfect one, a large crowd was present, all of the immediate family being present, except Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Miller, George Strawbridge and John Nelson, these being absent on account of sickness in their families.

Those present were: Mrs. N. D. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Logue, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Logue, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beck, Mrs. J. W. Nelson, Mrs. Geo. Strawbridge, Miss Nora Jordan, Glen Logue and wife, of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. R. Mitchell, son and daughter, of Williamsport; Misses Blanche, Nellie, Grace and Florence Logue, Walter and Harry Logue, Mrs. H. Condon and son Harold, of Curwensville; Harold and Melvin Nelson, of Shawville; Ruth Logue, of St. Marys; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wertz and son Donald, of Renovo; Misses Lola, Florence, Dorothy and Clara Beck, of Emporium; Misses Alice, Mildred and Lillian Strawbridge, of Sterling Run.

There were others not connected with the family who called and paid a tribute to the party. The day passed off all too soon. We hope to have a much larger attendance next year, as each year, more interest is manifested and a larger assembly gathers.

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Many people with chronic throat and lung trouble have found comfort and relief in Foley's Honey Tar as it cures stubborn coughs after other treatment has failed. L. M. Ruggles, Reasnor, Iowa, writes: "The doctors said I had consumption, and I got no better until I took Foley's Honey and Tar. It stopped the hemorrhages and pain in my lungs and they are now as sound as a bullet." Sold by all druggists.

Bucknell University.

At the fifty-ninth annual commencement of Bucknell University, ninety-nine were graduated from the College, eighty-three with the bachelor's degree and sixteen with that of master. Some sixty were graduated from other departments. The treasurer reported current income for the year as \$108,000, expenditures, \$107,000. The productive investments of the University equal some \$750,000. It was announced that \$60,000 had been secured for the new building, devoted chiefly to engineering.

Granulated Sugar 25 pound sacks for \$1.45, at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Church Dedication.

EDITOR PRESS:—Will you kindly lend us space enough in your good paper to announce the dedication of the Castle Garden Church and extend an invitation to all your readers to attend?

The Mountain Mission Church will be dedicated July 17-18th. The Rev. A. T. Jennings, of Syracuse, N. Y., will preach the dedicatory and make the plea to raise funds to cancel the debt. A cordial invitation is extended to our sister churches. Everything possible will be done by the people of Castle Garden and vicinity to take care and make it pleasant for the visitors. There is a debt on this church near \$1,000, which ought to be provided for before the dedication, and we believe this will be done, for it is God's work and he owns all the gold and silver, and gold is never so bright as when it is used in doing good. Already \$212.00 has been pledged to this as follows: J. M. English and wife, \$100.00; Hon. G. W. Huntley, Sr., \$60.00; Driftwood; Mrs. C. L. Smith, East Brady, Pa., \$20.00; Hon. J. W. Cochran, Ashland, Wis., \$50.00. These are men that the world is better by their living in it.

Mr. Huntley said: "I consider you have done a noble work at Castle Garden and I am going to donate you \$60.00 to help free the debt." Thanks.

Mr. Cochran, in replying to an invitation extended to him to attend the dedication, said: "Yours of June 18th is at hand, and in reply will say that I want to thank you for your kind invitation to attend the dedication of your church at Castle Garden. I want to congratulate you on the good work you have done in completing the church. While I am not a member of any church I am a friend to all churches and I never lived among people that I liked better than the people of Cameron county, Pa. They were always good, honest, substantial people. I enclose you my check for \$50.00 to help raise the debt."

With kind regards to yourself,
I am yours respectfully,
J. W. COCHRAN.

Surely this work is for the Lord and let the good work go on.

J. M. ENGLISH.

Latest Popular Music.

Miss May Gould, teacher of piano forte has received a full line of the latest and most popular sheet music. All the popular airs. Popular and classical music. Prices reasonable.

Just received a fresh invoice of Crackers and Cookies at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Delay in taking Foley's Kidney Remedy if you have backache, kidney or bladder trouble, fastens the disease upon you and makes a cure more difficult. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy to-day and you will soon be well. Why risk a serious malady? Sold by all druggists.

Everyone would be benefited by taking Foley's Orino Laxative for stomach and liver trouble, habitual constipation. It sweetens the stomach and breath, gently stimulates the liver and regulates the bowels and is much superior to pills and ordinary laxatives. Why not try Foley's Orino Laxative to-day? Sold by all druggists.

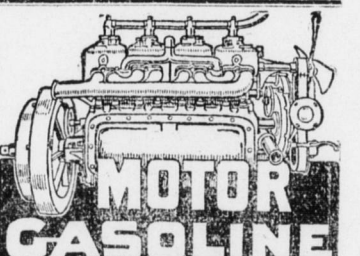
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SHERIFF'S OATH OF EXECUTION.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, }
COUNTY OF CAMERON, } SS:
JOHN W. NORRIS, Sheriff of Cameron county, being duly sworn according to law deposes and says that in obedience to the command contained in a warrant issued by the Governor of Pennsylvania, dated the 28th day of May, 1909, and to him as Sheriff directed, he did cause the sentence of death by hanging by the neck until dead to be executed upon the body of Joe Pagano within the yard of the jail of Cameron county on the 28th day of June, 1909, at ten o'clock and twenty-four minutes, a.m.

JOHN W. NORRIS,
Sworn and subscribed before me
this 29th day of June, 1909.
W. J. LEAVITT,
Clerk Court of O. & T.



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